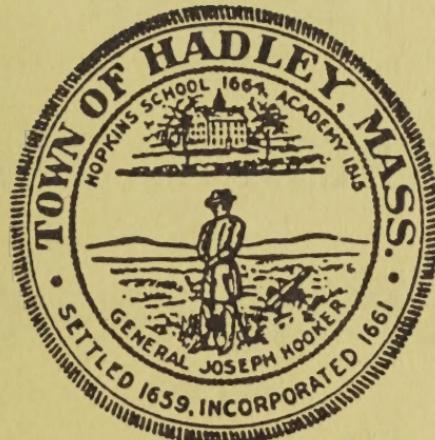


THREE HUNDRED and TWENTY-EIGHTH

ANNUAL REPORTS



Hadley,
Massachusetts

1987



**ANNUAL REPORT
of the
TOWN OFFICERS
of the
TOWN of HADLEY
for the
YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1987**



MABEL S. WEST
1912-1987

Dedicated To:

MABEL S. WEST
219 Bay Road

Historical Commission 1973-1987
Chairperson 1982-1987

Mount Holyoke Range Advisory Committee
1978-1987

First Congregational Church Woman's Union
Hope of Hadley Grange #15

Massachusetts Holstein Woman's Committee
Valley Swingsters Square Dance Club
Model Citizen - Historian - Wife - Mother

We all miss you!

Hadley Highway Department

"DEPARTMENT OF THE YEAR"



On call 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, these men deserve special recognition for their exceptional efforts last year. Their spirit and "can do" attitude serves in a positive model for all of us.

Deputy Director:	Michael J. Hulme
Deputy Director:	Richard C. Ladd
Traffic Officers:	Michael E. Chene, Jr.
Deputy Director:	Charles S. Rogers
Deputy Director:	Charles F. Avery
Deputy Director:	Matthew W. Wessman
Deputy Director:	Howard C. Johnson
Deputy Director:	James V. Vassallo
Deputy Director:	Stephen Matherne
Deputy Director:	James H. McElroy

ELECTED OFFICIALS 1987-1988

Moderator:

Kenneth A. Parker

1988

Selectmen:

John H. Allen, Chairman

1988

Philip S. Mokrzecki

1989

Noreen D. Ciaglo

1990

Town Clerk:

Joanna P. Devine

1989

Board of Assessors:

Teresa Barstow

1988

Stanley Niedziela

1990

Board of Health:

Alfred Szarkowski, Chairman

1990

Edward J. Walczak

1988

Louis P. Klimoski

1989

Planning Board:

Joseph Zgrodnik

1990

Chester Kulikowski

1989

William Dwyer, Jr.

1992

James J. Maksimoski, Chairman

1988

John E. Devine, Jr.

1991

School Committee:

Carol Trane, Chairperson

1988

Christine Sweklo

1990

Joyce A. West

1988

Corinne Brennan-Dore

1989

Richard Swaluk

1990

Elector Under The Oliver Smith Will:

John E. Devine, Jr.

1988

Library Trustees:

Esther T. Latham

1989

Ann E. Cook

1989

Michaeline Martin

1990

Mary Kelley

1990

Jeannie M. Stolarski

1988

Leslie K. Mish, Chairperson

1988

Constables:	
Dennis J. Huckowicz	1988
Robert Waskiewicz	1988
Sewer Commission:	
Richard J. Waskiewicz, Chairman	1989
Richard V. Wilga	1990
John Pliska	1988
Park Commission:	
Marianne Wanczyk, Chairperson	1988
Joanne Waskiewicz	1990
Joseph Osip, Jr.	1989
Housing Authority:	
Joel E. Searle, Chairman	1992
Edward C. Wanczyk	1988
Stanley J. Witkos	1990
Louis P. Klimoski	1991
Martha Little, State Appointee	1989

APPOINTMENTS MADE BY SELECTMEN:

Town Counsel:	
Att. Leonard Kopelman	
Chief of Police:	
Richard Grader	
Lieutenant:	
Michael J. Majewski, Jr.	
Sergeant:	
Dennis J. Hukowicz	
Dog Officer:	
Richard Grader	
Police Officers:	
Michael Grabiec, Jr.	
John S. Rogala	
Charles H. Bray	
Bennett Waskiewicz	
Raymond C. LaFlamme	
Jeffrey Vickowski	
Stephen Mushenski	
Jerome R. Yezierski	

Charles W. Smiarowski
Raymond E. Babb
Ralph J. Gould, Jr.
Robert J. Waskiewicz
David Bielunis
Paul Tuttle
Donald S. Robinson
Judy Fontaine
William J. Trueswell
John M. Chudzik
James R. Jackson, Jr.
Glen R. Clark

Police Officers for Training:

Frank Rogala
Jeffrey Quinlan
Robert Consavage
Michael Grabiec, III

Registrar of Voters:

Laura Niedzwiecki, Chairperson	1988
Michelle Mokrzecki	1990
Irene Lankarge	1989
Joanna P. Devine, Clerk	
Francis Pleppo, Assistant Registrar	
(Appointed by Registrars)	

Fire Chief:

Bernard J. Martula

First Assistant Chief:

Myron Chudzik

Deputy Fire Chiefs:

Francis Mushenski
Alex Yezierski

Captains:

Edward Dudkiewicz
John Banash - Appointed 2/10/88

Lieutenants:

Joseph R. Fydenkevez, Sr.
John Kokoski
James Kicza
George Moriarty

Forest Fire Warden:

Bernard J. Martula

Circuit Rider (Granby/Hadley):

Donald Kjelmyr

Superintendent of Highways & Water Department:

Michael J. Klimoski

Assistant Superintendent of Highways & Water Department:

Dennis Pipczynski

Tree Warden & Moth Superintendent:

Michael J. Klimoski

Town Accountant: Patricia Shandri

1988

Assistant Town Accountant:

Constance Mieczkowksi (Appointed by Town Accountant) 1988

Cemetery Committee:

Stanley Lesko (Olde Hadley Cemetery) 1990

Dennis Pipczynski (North Hadley & Plainville Cem.) 1990

Elizabeth Harrop (Hockanum Cem.) 1990

Gary Berg (Russellville Cem.) 1990

Town Hall Custodian:

Rae A. Paddock 1988

North Hadley Hall Custodians:

Francis Duda 1988

James Russell 1988

Director of Veterans Services:

Alexander C. Mokrzecki 1988

Zoning Board of Appeals:

Richard J. Fydenkevez, Chairman

John Mish, Jr. 1988

Victor Cendrowski

1989

Electrical Inspector:

Alexander Bielunis

Wilfred Danylieko, Alternate

Building Inspector:

Frank Zalot, Jr.

Michael Brennan, Alternate

Civil Defense Director:

Edward Dudkiewecz

Public Weighers:

P. Wayne Goulet

Leonard Brodeur

Jeannete A. Goulet
William Patric
Philip E. Goulet
Edward Berestka
Theodore Johnson
Frank Berestka
Paul Jordan
Mark Glowatsky
Edward Mieczkowski, Jr.
Wanda Mieczkowski
Donald M. Fil
Mark Scheel

Industrial and Development Commission:

Theodore Johnson	1991
Brian A. Glazier	1988
Robert W. Gailey	1989
William Kozera	1992
Charles Bowles	1990
James Maksimoski, Planning Board Member	1988
John P. Regish	1992

Conservation Commission:

Gary Pelissier, Chairman	1989
Michael Pewatka	1990
William Tudry	1988
Jeffrey Mish	1988
William Baker	1989
Peter Cook	1989
Alexandra Dawson	1990

Planning Board Member to the Pioneer Valley

Planning Commission:

William E. Dwyer, Jr.	
Harry L. Barstow, Alternate	

Pioneer Valley Transit Authority Representative:

Robert Kozash	
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Council on Aging:

Eugene Kennedy, Chairman	1988
Helen Vanasse	1988
John Kowal	1990
Robert Renyhart, Appointed 11/10/87	1989
Bertha Baranwoski	1989
Fred Mastendino	1988
Joseph Fill, Appointed 11/10/87	1988

Historical Commission:

Alexander Kulas	1988
Dorothy Russell	1990
Monica Pearson	1990
Richard Wilga	1988
Harry Jekanowski	1989
Susan Sheridan	1990
Eunice Konieczny	1989

Mt. Holyoke Range Advisory Committee:

Alexander Kulas
Merle Buckhout

Arts Lottery Council: (All expire 1989)

Marcia Wojewoda
Elizabeth O'Neil
Nancy Campbell
Arnold Friedman
Carl Caivano

Right To Know Law Co-Ordinator:

Donald Kjelmyr

Cable TV Advisory Committee:

Charles Wojewoda, Chairman
Michael Grabiec, Jr.
David Prentiss
Gerald Delisle

Energy Co-Ordinator:

Robert Kozash

Historic District Study Committee:

James Bright
Heidi Allen
William Baker
Barbara Joy
Margaret Barstow
Michael Coffey
Susan Sheridan

North Hadley Hall Study Committee:

Kathy Pipczynski
James Russell
Joan Zabawa
Francis Duda
John Kokoski
Alexander Kulas

Frank Zabawa
Richard Holden

Agricultural Area Incentive Committee:

Edwin Matuszko
Kenneth Parsons
Bruce Whittier
John Devine, Jr.
Philip S. Mokrzecki
Peter S. Cook
Gordon Smith

Massachusetts Steering Committee on the
Connecticut River Member:

William G. Elliott

Waterways Committee:

Raymond Shipman, Jr.
Gary Pelissier
George Moriarty
Alexandra Dawson
Eileen Simonson
Richard Wilga
John S. Mieczkowski

APPOINTMENTS MADE BY THE MODERATOR:

Finance Committee:

Max A. Wojtowicz, Chairman	1988
Helen Kapinos	1990
A. Edwin Putnam	1989
Linda J. Sanderson	1989
Michael Pequignot	1990

Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Commission:

Alfred Szarkowski

Martha Little

James Dawson

APPOINTMENTS MADE BY THE
TOWN COLLECTOR/TREASUER:

Town Collector/Town Treasuer:

Helen Kapinos (Temporary Appointee)

1988

Assistant Town Treasurer:

Irene A. Bemben

Assistant Collector:

Carol Dube

Deputy Tax Collector:

James J. Walsh

APPOINTMENTS MADE BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH:

Plumbing & Gas Inspector:

Peter P. Salvatore

John J. Moriarty, Alternate

Public Health Nurse:

Patricia Osip

Animal Inspector:

Marilyn Koehler

Death Certificate Agent:

Joanna P. Devine

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Moderator and the Citizens of Hadley:

With the passage of Article 8 at the 1987 Annual Town Meeting, the size of the Finance Committee was increased from three to five members. This allowed for some specialization within the Committee and also provided for additional ideas and planning to take place in trying to match resources with expenditures in an effort to keep the Town of Hadley on sound financial footing. In 1987, the Committee proposed several questions for the voters to be able to exclude debt and interest from the operating budget of the Town while replacing worn out equipment and evaluating the need for roof repairs on school buildings. We indicated this would cost the taxpayer less than \$1.00 on the tax rate. In actuality, the tax rate went from \$9.30 per \$1,000 in fiscal 1987 to \$10.05 per \$1,000 in fiscal 1988. The Town of Hadley still has the lowest tax rate in Hampshire County. Challenges abound as we prepare the fiscal 1989 budget. The Committee is engaged in medium-range planning which is essential if we are to survive over the long haul. It is no longer good enough to assume that each department must be funded the same way it was in the prior year with an addition for inflation. Each program must be evaluated on its own merits and organization must be looked at to ensure the taxpayer is getting the most value for his dollar.

Respectfully submitted,

Max A. Wojotowicz, Chairman

A. Edwin Putnam, Vice Chairman

Michael L. Pequignot, Secretary

Helen Kapinos

Linda J. Sanderson

Town of Hadley

Projected Income

1988-89

Levy Limit - 1988	\$2,393,730
+ 2 1/2%	59,843
New Growth	60,000
Override	150,000
Debt Exclusion	120,000
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Total Levy Amount with debt exclusion	\$2,783,573
 State Aid	930,194
 <u>Local Receipts</u>	
Motor Vehicle Excise	200,000
License, Permits, Fees	104,500
Farm Excise	10,000
Interest on Taxes	12,000
Interest on Investments	110,000
P.V.T.A.	125,000
Chapter 90	33,150
Court Fines	66,000
Misc. Refunds	7,500
Motel Tax	36,000
Water	247,434
Sewer	233,072
 Total Local Receipts	1,184,656
 Total Income	\$4,898,423
 Less: State Charges	138,747
Overlay	80,000
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Net Receipts	\$4,679,676

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Department	Appropriation 1987-1988	Requested 1988-1989	Recommended 1988-1989
(1) MODERATOR			
Salaries&Expense	150	100	100
(2) FINANCE COMMITTEE			
Salaries-Chm \$200 Mem \$150 ea	800	800	800 <i>950</i>
Membership-M.F.C.	150	90	90
Supplies	0	60	60
Reserve Fund	50000	76000	76000
(3) SELECTMEN'S OFFICE			
Salaries-Chm \$1400 Mem \$1200 ea	3800	3800	3800
Department Secretary	12529	13281	13281
Town Reports	4329	3400	3400
License/Forms	0	100	100
Legal Services	10000	12000	12000
Town Hall	19980	25479	25479
No. Hadley Hall	3120	3916	3916
Other Expenses	8170	8160	4660
Adm. Assistant Sal&Exp	6200	10814	10814
(4) FRINGE BENEFITS/INS.			
Workmen'sComp	23000	23719	23719
Life Insurance	1100	1100	1100
Health Insurance	88000	101200	101200
Retirement	65768	69107	69107
Disability Ins(111F)	5000	5000	5000
FICA	6000	6000	6000
Property Insurance	76272	75828	75828
Boiler&Machine Ins.	2491	2584	2584
Motor Vehicle Ins.	21500	0	0
Public Officials Ins.	18000	3575	3575
Police Liability Ins.	9500	13807	13807
School Leaders Ins.	1750	2063	2063
Police Accident Ins	1200	1050	1050
Fire Dept. Ins.	3000	3000	3000
(5) INSPECTORS			
Buildings	8000	8000	8000
Plumbing / Gas	1600	2000	1800
Electrial	2000	2000	2000
(6) TOWN ACCOUNTANT			<i>24840</i>
Salaries&Expense	28820	30509	<i>28840</i>
Town Audit	8100	11500	11500

Department	Appropriation 1987-1988	Requested 1988-1989	Recommended 1988-1989
(7) TOWN TREASURER			
Salary-\$11062	11062	11062	11062
Other Salaries&Expense	15990	20854	19354 18704
Interest	87520	190000	190000
(8) TOWN COLLECTOR			
Salary-\$12510+Fees	12510	12510	12510
Other Salaries&Expense	15001	19567	21067 20467
(9) ASSESSORS			
Salaries-Chm-\$6200 -Mem-\$5600 ea	13150	17400	17400
Other Salaries&Expense	26230	81080	51080
(10) TOWN CLERK			
Salary \$6307+Fees	5950	24440	6307
Other Salaries&Expense	9146	3890	9171
Election&Registration	5224	9649	8284
(11) POLICE DEPARTMENT			
Salaries&Expense	179968	213050	200654- 197409
(12) COMMUNICATION CENTER			
Salaries&Expense	64155	75355	64387
(13) FIRE DEPARTMENT			
Salaries&Expense	41450	42350	42350
Ambulance	31265	33350	33350
(14) PUBLIC HEALTH			
Salaries-Chm\$1575	4079	4160	4160
Clerk-\$1349, Mem-\$1236			
Expense	11980	13205	13205
(15) CIVIL DEFENSE	1000	1200	1200
(16) DOG/ANIMAL CARE	500	500	500
(17) HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT			
Salaries&Expense	244102	350913	3212344 324589
(18) CEMETERIES	6800	10679	10679
(19) WATER DEPARTMENT - 1			
Salaries&Expense	87073	132146	160084
Principal Of Debt	63000	70500	70500
Interest Of Debt	12500	16850	16850
(20) SEWER DEPARTMENT - 2			
Salaries-CHM-\$900 Mem-\$700ea	2300	2300	2300
Other Salaries&Expense	152230	191165	191165
Principal Of Debt	25265	25265	25265
Interest Of Debt	16355	14342	14342
(21) STREET LIGHTS	14312	12849	12849

Department	Appropriation 1987-1988	Requested 1988-1989	Recommended 1988-1989
(22) SCHOOL DEPARTMENT			2208987
Schools	2061137	2246255	2246255
Athletic Fund +Recpt	52388	55000	55000
Band Fund +Recpt	4600	4900	4900
(23) LIBRARY	30107	30855	30855
(24) PLANNING BOARD			
Salaries-Chm-\$600	1700	2300	2300
-Sec-\$500			
-Mem-\$400ea			
Other Expense	2000	2460	2460
(25) BOARD OF APPEALS			
Salaries-Chm-\$475	1175	1175	1175
Salary -C1k-\$375			
Salary -Mem-\$325			
Other Expenses	450	560	560
(26) VETERANS			
Salaries&Expense	2900	3100	3100
(27) COUNCIL ON AGING			
Salaries&Expense	12180	12425	12425
Van Account	4000	4000	4000
(28) PARK COMMISSION			
Salaries-CHM-\$400	1000	1000	1000
-Mem-\$300 ea			
Other Expenses	6775	9775	9775
(29) HISTORICAL COM.	3000	3250	3250
(30) LOWER PIONEERVALLEY	700	619	619
(31) CONSERVATION COM.	340	340	340
(32) ELECTOR D. SMITH	100	100	100
(33) AGRICULTURAL AREA INCENTIVE COMMITTEE	0	250	250
(34) INDUSTRIAL COM.	20	0	0
TOTALS	3837018	4499037	4427701

1. Water Enterprise Fund
2. Sewer Receipts Account

HADLEY TOWN WARRANT

Hampshire ss.

To the Constables of the Town of Hadley, in the County of Hampshire

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs to meet in the Hopkins Academy Cafetorium at 10:30 in the forenoon on the twelfth day of April, 1988, then and there to take action under Article 1, polls to be kept open 10:30 to 8:00 p.m., and to meet on Thursday, the fifth day of May, 1988, at 7:00 p.m. in the Hopkins Academy Cafetorium then and there to act on all other articles:

Article 1.

To elect all necessary officers of the Town.

Moderator	One Year
Board of Selectmen Member	Three Years
Town Collector	Three Years
Town Treasurer	One Year
Board of Assessors Member	One Year
Board of Assessors Member	Three Years
Board of Health Member	Three Years
Planning Board Member	Five Years
School Committee Member	Three Years
School Committee Member	Three Years
Oliver Smith Will Elector	One Year
Board of Library Trustees Member	Three Years
Board of Library Trustees Member	Three Years
Constable	One Year
Constable	One Year
Sewer Commission Member	Three Years
Board of Park Commission Member	Three Years
Housing Authority Member	Five Years

and to bring in their votes yes or no on the following questions:

Question 1.

"Shall this town continue to be a member of the Pioneer Valley Regional Transit Authority? Yes No"

Question 2.

"Shall the Town of Hadley be allowed to assess an additional \$150,000.00 in real estate and personal property taxes for the purpose of providing additional operating funds for all departments of Town Government for the fiscal year beginning July first nineteen hundred and eighty eight. Yes No"

Question 3. (non-binding)

"Should the Town of Hadley pay an additional \$1.00 on the tax rate and put all of the proceeds of this increase into a Town fund dedicated solely to the purchase of land for agriculture preservation, open space preservation and aquifer protection in the Town. Yes No"

✓ Article 2.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1988, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, section 17, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 3.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell and convey by proper deeds in the name of the Town any land owned by or in the control of the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 4.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as shall be necessary to defray the current expenses and charges of the financial year, including debt and interest, and to fix the salary and compensation of all elected officials of the Town as provided for by Chapter 41, section 108 of the General Laws as amended, including, if appropriate: Moderator, Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Collector, Town Treasurer, Assessors, Town Constables, Board of Health, Elector under the Oliver Smith Will, Sewer Commission, Planning Board, and Park Commission, and to provide for a reserve fund for the current financial year, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 5:

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for Massachusetts Small Cities Program grants or monies, or any other Federal or State grants or monies, and to expend any monies received as set forth in the appropriate application, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 6.

To see if the Town will vote to have the following question placed upon the official ballot for the 1989 Annual Town Election:

"Shall this town continue to be a member of the Pioneer Valley Regional Transit Authority?"

✓ Article 7.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 3,000.00 to reimburse the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the Town's share of a pension or retirement allowance paid to a widow of a veteran by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the fiscal year commencing on July 1, 1988, as required by and computed under the provisions of Chapter 32, section 59A of the General Laws, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 8.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and ~~appropriate~~ or borrow a sum of money, the State's share available under Chapter

90 Type money and such funds as the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Public Works may provide, and to raise and appropriate or borrow a sum of money the Town's share in addition to the State's share, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into contracts with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Public Works for Chapter 90 Type money allocated to the Town by the State in fiscal year 1989, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 9.

To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 6 of the Bylaws of the Town of Hadley as published in 1945 under Chapter 130 of the Acts of 1910 to read as follows:

"There shall be an advisory or Finance Committee as provided by Chapter 130, Acts of 1910, consisting of five members to continue in office for a term or terms not exceeding three years. (They to be appointed by the Moderator of the annual Town Meeting, two members for a term of three years, two members for a term of two years and one member for a term of one year.) The terms of new appointees to begin on the first day of July in each year. Vacancies shall be filled by the Moderator of the annual Town Meeting held last before the vacancy occurs. Selectmen, members of the School Committee and the Town Treasurer shall not be members of the committee. The committee shall investigate all matters mentioned in the warrant for any Town Meeting that may affect the finances of the Town, and make reports or recommendations to the Town with reference to the same and make recommendations to the Town with reference to any municipal question."

Article 10.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 339 of the acts of 1981 which provides for the use of offset receipts, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 11.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 236 of the acts of 1987 which provides for the expenditure of default funds by municipal planning boards, or take any other action relative thereto.

Chapter 236 of the acts of 1987 amends Chapter 41, section 81U by inserting after the penultimate paragraph the following paragraph:

In any town which accepts the provisions of this paragraph, the proceeds of any such bond or deposit shall be made available to the town for expenditure to meet the cost and expenses of the municipality in completing the work as specified in the approved plan. If such proceeds do not exceed twenty-five thousand dollars, the expenditure may be made without specific appropriation under section fifty-three of chapter forty-four; provided, however, that such expenditure is approved by the Board of Selectmen. The provisions of this paragraph shall not apply to cities or to towns having town councils.;

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Article 12.

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town's bylaws by adopting the following bylaw entitled "Unregistered Vehicles", or take any other action relative thereto.

The "Unregistered Vehicles" bylaw shall read as follows:

Unregistered Vehicles:

1. The keeping of more than one unregistered vehicle, assembled or disassembled, except by a person licensed under General Law, Chapter 140, Section 59, on any premises shall not be permitted unless said motor vehicle is stored in an enclosed building or otherwise out of sight of all abutters and public ways.

2. Whoever violates any provision of this bylaw shall be liable to a penalty of five dollars (\$5.00) per day for each day of violation, commencing ten days following date of receipt of written notices from the Board of Selectmen.

3. This bylaw shall not apply to motor vehicles which are designed and used for farming purposes.

Article 13.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to develop, issue and maintain rules and regulations, including the imposition of fines, governing hawkers, peddlers, and transient vendors as provided in Chapter 101 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 14.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to develop, issue and maintain parking and traffic rules and regulations as provided in Chapter 89 and 90 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, including regulations governing the issuance of parking tickets as provided in Chapter 90, section 20A of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 15.

withdrawn

To see if the Town will vote to establish an Agriculture Incentive Area in the Town of Hadley as outlined and set forth in the Massachusetts Right to Farm Law, Chapter 613 of the Acts of 1985, and consisting of two sections more particularly described as follows;

First Section:

The first section of the Hadley Agriculture Incentive Area shall consist of all land in the Town of Hadley north of the Mill River in Hadley;

Second Section:

The second section of the Hadley Agriculture Incentive Area shall consist of all land in the Town of Hadley bounded by a line paralleling Route 9 on the south and running from the

intersection of the Amherst Town line and the old B&M railroad right of way along said right of way to the intersection of said right of way and the line dividing the area of Hadley zoned residential/agriculture from the area of Hadley zoned business; thence from said intersection along the line dividing the area of Hadley zoned agriculture/residential from the area zoned business and continuing to parallel Route 9 on the south, to the intersection of said line and East Street; thence, south along East St. to the intersection of East St. and Bay Rd.; thence, west along Bay Rd. to the intersection of Bay Rd. and Middle St.; thence, south along a line due south to the Connecticut River and roughly following Middle St.; thence, south along the Connecticut River to the intersection of the Connecticut River and the northern boundary of the area of the Town zoned business and known as Mitch's Marina; thence, east along a line running along the northern boundary of said business area to Hockanum Rd; thence, east along Hockanum Rd. to the intersection of Hockanum Rd., Lawrence Plain Rd. and Chmura Rd.; thence, east along Chmura Rd. to the end of Chmura Rd.; thence along a line running due east from the end of Chmura Rd. to the Amherst Town line and roughly following the base of the Holyoke Range; thence, along the Amherst/Hadley Town line to the intersection of said line and the old B&M railroad right of way, said intersection being the place of beginning.

As provided by state law, participation in said Hadley Agriculture Incentive Area described above by landowners within the area shall be entirely voluntary, shall require the written approval of the landowner, and shall provide eligibility for certain incentives as provided in law; or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 16.

To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$70,000.00 from the Town land fund voted under Article 4 at the special Town Meeting held on October 29, 1987, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to expend said \$70,000.00 for the purpose of supporting applications from the Town of Hadley under the Agriculture Preservation Restriction (APR) program, provided that no expenditure to support an individual APR application be more than 5% of the purchase price of the land under the APR program, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 17.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 6,500.00 as the matching sum for a Pioneer Valley Planning Commission grant for updating the Town's zoning bylaws, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 18.

To see if the Town will vote to participate in the new Amherst animal shelter, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 2,680.00 as the first year assessment for participation in the said animal shelter, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 19.

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town's bylaws by adopting the following bylaw entitled "Town Administrator", or

take any other action relative thereto.

The "Town Administrator" bylaw shall read as follows:

Town Administrator: ✓ Admin Asst.

Section 1. Position Established, Qualifications

a. There is hereby established the position of Town Administrator, who shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen on the basis of education, executive and administrative qualifications and experience in public or business administration.

b. The Town Administrator shall devote full-time to the duties of the position and shall not engage in any other business or occupation during employment with the Town. During the time the Town Administrator holds office, the Town Administrator shall hold no elective town office but the Board of Selectmen may appoint the Town Administrator to any other office or position consistent with the office.

Section 2. Term of Office, Compensation

a. The Board of Selectmen by a majority vote of the full membership of the Board shall appoint the Town Administrator for a three year term and shall fix the compensation of the Town Administrator within the amount appropriated.

b. Any vacancy in the office of the Town Administrator shall be filled as soon as possible by the Board of Selectmen. During the course of any vacancy the Selectmen shall appoint a suitable person as acting Town Administrator to perform the duties of the office.

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Section 3. Duties and Responsibilities

The Town Administrator shall act as the agent for the Board of Selectmen and shall;

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conduct research, grants etc.

under the general supervision and policy direction of the Board of Selectmen, supervise, direct and be responsible for the efficient administration of all departments and employees within the jurisdiction of, or appointed by the Board of Selectmen;

compile the annual operating budget and the annual capital improvements program for all Town agencies and submit the same to the Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee;

Assist the Board of Selectmen in the recruitment and selection of department heads and employees by making recommendations to the Board of Selectmen;

Attend all regular and special meetings of the Board of Selectmen unless excused and have a voice but no vote in all of its discussions;

Attend all regular and special sessions of the Town Meeting to answer questions and provide information as requested;

Keep the Board of Selectmen informed as to the financial conditions and needs of the Town;

Coordinate the activities and functions of the Town Accountant, Treasurer, Collector, and Board of Assessors;

Enforce the policies of the Board of Selectmen, votes of Town Meeting, and bylaws;

Exercise general supervision over the personnel, organization, systems and practices of the Board of Selectmen's Office;

Assist the Board of Selectmen in the collective bargaining process;

Act as the liaison and represent the Board of Selectmen before state, Federal, and regional authorities;

Hold periodic meetings with department heads and employees under the control of the Board of Selectmen;

Perform any other duties required by votes of the Board of Selectmen, Town Meeting votes and by bylaw.

✓ Article 20.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 1,014.00 to be used to allow the Town of Hadley to participate in a Pioneer Valley Planning Commission grant for a regional household hazardous waste collection program, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 21.

With Amend To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 7,000.00 for codification and publication of the Town's bylaws, and the regulations of the standing boards, committees, and/or departments of the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 22.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$ 6,500.00 for the purchase of a modern phone system for Town Hall, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 23.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for any State or Federal grants, monies, or loans that are or may become available for the purpose of capping the Town's old landfill, and to expend any monies received as set forth in the appropriate application, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 24.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, borrow, or transfer the sum of \$ 100,000.00 as the matching sum for any state or Federal grants, monies, or loans that the Town may apply for and receive for the purpose of capping the Town's old landfill, or take any other action relative thereto.

\$ 75,000

Article 25.

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate, borrow, or transfer from Water Enterprise fund revenue the sum of \$11,000.00 for the installation of at least 5 new fire hydrants and valves, and for the installation of at least 3 main line valves for the Town's water distribution system, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 26.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, borrow, or transfer from available funds the sum of \$15,000.00 to be used for the purchase of a new 3/4 ton 4-wheel drive pickup truck with snow plow for the Town's Highway and Water Department; to appropriate, borrow or transfer from Water Enterprise fund revenue the sum of \$5,000.00 also to be used for the purchase of said pickup truck; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to trade or sell the 1965 Dodge pick-up, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 27.

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To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, borrow, or transfer from available funds the sum of \$75,000.00 for the purchase of a new dump truck with sander and power angle plow to be used in the Town's Highway Department; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to trade, sell or retain the 1971 F750 dump truck, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 28.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, borrow, or transfer from available funds the sum of \$10,000.00 for the replacement of the roof of the Town garage, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 29.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, borrow, or transfer from available funds the sum of \$2,500.00 for the purchase of seven pocket pagers for the Fire Department, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 30.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,000.00 to replace the overhead door at the north fire station, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 31.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from the stabilization fund the sum of \$17,400.00 to repair and upgrade the drivetrain on the 1961 Seagrave pumper currently used in the Town's Fire Department, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 32.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, borrow, or transfer from available funds the sum of \$11,800.00 to

repair and repaint the body and upgrade the electrical and brake system of the 1961 Seagrave fire truck currently used in the Town's Fire Department, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 33.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, borrow, or transfer from available funds the sum of \$ 25,000.00, of which the sum of \$ 7,700.00 shall be transferred from the balance remaining as voted under Article 19 at the 1987 annual Town Meeting, for the purchase of a new Special Education van to be used by the School Department; and to authorize the School Board to trade, sell or retain the current 1984 vehicle, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 34.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, borrow, or transfer from available funds the sum of \$11,000.00 to repair a portion of the roof on the Old Hopkins gymnasium, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 35.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, borrow, or transfer from available funds a sum of money to excavate the perimeter of three walls, waterproof the foundation, redirect the flow of drainage water, and regrade the East, South and West lawns of the Goodwin Memorial Library, or take any other action relative thereto.

10,000

✓ Article 36.

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate, borrow, or transfer from Sewer Enterprise fund revenue the sum of \$24,000.00 to be used for repair and/or replacement of 375 feet of the existing 12" sanitary sewer in Stockbridge Road during the construction of the roadway by the State DPW; these funds are to be used in conjunction with the monies appropriated from the Sewer Surplus Revenue under Article 39 of the annual Town Meeting held May 7, 1987; the appropriated funds shall be used for construction and engineering services; or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 37.

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$89,271.00 for a facility plan to evaluate an industrial pretreatment program and sludge management in the Town of Hadley for associated engineering services; that to meet this appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, is authorized to borrow \$89,271.00 under G.L.C. 44,s 7(1) as amended or G.L.C. 44, s. 8(20); that the Board of Sewer Commissioners are authorized to contract for Federal aid which shall be spent for the project, provided that the total authorized borrowing for the project shall be reduced by the amount of such aid; that the Board of Sewer Commissioners are authorized to execute a loan resolution for the Farmers Home Administration (Form 422-47) or other form prescribed by the FMHA, or by other financing that may be available, provided, however, that the validity of any borrowing under this vote shall not depend upon the validity or enforceability of any particular

provisions of the loan resolution, thereto, and that the principles and interest for any long term borrowing associated with this action be paid for by user capital recovery charges, or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 38.

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To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaws of the Town of Hadley, Section VIII: Site Plan Approval, subsection C: Exemptions From Site Plan Review, Item No. 3, which now reads: "construction or alteration involving not more than 3000 square feet total floor area after construction" to read as follows: "construction or alteration involving not more than 1000 square feet total floor area after construction, with Site Plan Approval required for all gas stations, convenience stores, or other commercial uses which could in the opinion of the Planning Board, represent a potential negative impact."; or take any other action relative thereto.

✓ Article 39.

To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning bylaws of the Town of Hadley by adding a new section XIII entitled "Annual Building Permit Limitation" or take any other action relative thereto.

The "Annual Building Permit Limitation" bylaw shall read as follows:

Section XIII Annual Building Permit Limitation

1. Rate of Development

1.1 Purpose

The purpose of section 1, "Rate of Development", of the Hadley Bylaws is as follows:

A. To promote orderly growth in the Town of Hadley consistent with the rate of residential growth over the last 8 calendar years;

B. To phase growth so that it will not unduly strain the community's ability to provide basic public facilities and services;

C. To provide the Town, its Boards and its agencies, with the information, time and capacity to develop and implement a growth management plan for the community;

D. To promote growth in the Town of Hadley in an environmentally sound manner that is consistent with the protection of groundwater supply, quality and quantity for the Town of Hadley;

E. To provide the Town of Hadley, its Board and its agencies, with the ability to coordinate the community's interest in agriculture and open space preservation with the community's interest in housing growth;

F. To preserve and enhance the existing community character and the value of property in the Town of Hadley.

1.2 General

Beginning on the date of the adoption of the bylaw, no more than 24 building permits for new dwellings in the Town of Hadley shall be issued for the construction of new residential dwellings in each of the two fiscal years following said adoption, said fiscal years shall coincide with the Town of Hadley's fiscal year.

1.3 Procedures

Any building permit for a new residential dwelling issued under section 1.2 of this bylaw shall be issued in accordance with the following procedures:

A. Building permits shall be issued on Tuesday (or in the case of a holiday or summer meeting schedule, at the next scheduled meeting of the Building Inspector) of each week by the Building Inspector. The Building Inspector shall act on each permit in order of submission. Any permit application that is incomplete shall be returned to the applicant and shall require new submission.

B. From the first Tuesday in July through the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in December one (1) permit shall be issued per week. Permits not issued in any week of the fiscal year in accordance with this schedule shall be available for issuance by the Building Inspector in any subsequent week up to the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in December. If all twenty four permits have not been issued by the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in December, the remaining permits shall be issued as applied for until a total of twenty four permits have been issued for a fiscal year.

C. From the first Tuesday in July through the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in December no more than three (3) building permits may be issued to any single individual or organization by the Building Inspector. If all twenty four building permits have not been issued by the Building Inspector by the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in December, the remaining building permits may be issued during the remainder of the fiscal year to any applicant as applied for without regard to the total number of permits granted to any single individual or organization during the period from the first Tuesday in July through the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in December.

1.4 Special Needs Housing

Upon a determination by the Planning Board, under a special permit, that the proposed development will meet the special needs in housing provision, section 1.4 of this bylaw, the proposed development shall be exempt from section 1., "Rate of Development" in its entirety. Such special needs permit shall be granted if the housing is proposed by a public or non-profit organization relying on committed state and Federal subsidies, a majority of the units will be sold or leased at terms affordable to households and individuals with incomes not exceeding those defined as "moderate income" by the Massachusetts Executive Office of Communities and Development.

1.5 Exemptions

The provisions of Section 1., "Rate of Development" shall not apply to nor limit in any way the granting of Building or Occupancy permits as required for enlargement, restoration, or reconstruction of dwellings existing on lots as of the date of the passage of this bylaw.;

or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 40. ~~LB~~

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To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town of Hadley Zoning Bylaws and the zoning map of the Town of Hadley by rezoning the following parcel of land from Agricultural/Residential to Limited Business, said parcel being a strip of land lying on the northerly side of Rocky Hill Road (a public way in the Town of Hadley, Commonwealth of Massachusetts) starting three hundred feet (300') more or less from the intersection of River Drive and Rocky Hill Road and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Rocky Hill Road, said point being approximately three hundred feet from the intersection of River Drive and Rocky Hill Road, and said point also being on the current division line between a parcel currently zoned Limited Business and a parcel currently existing as Agricultural/Residential, and both parcels being on the northerly side of Rocky Hill Road; thence proceeding in an easterly direction on the northerly side of Rocky Hill Road eight hundred and fifty feet (more or less) to a point and to the intersection of Rocky Hill Road and East Street, this being the southeasterly corner to be rezoned; thence proceeding in a northerly direction three hundred feet along land n/f of Mary and Michael Gnatek to a point and to other land n/f of Mary and Michael Gnatek this point being the northeasterly corner of the parcel to be rezoned; thence proceeding in a northwesterly direction eight hundred and fifty feet (more or less) along other land n/f of Mary and Michael Gnatek to a point and to the parcel currently existing as Limited Business zoned this being the northwesterly corner of the parcel to be rezoned; thence following this division line to Rocky Hill Road at an angle to a point and to the place beginning.

602 The above described parcel being currently zoned Agricultural/Residential and being located on the northerly side of Rocky Hill Road in Hadley, Massachusetts as shown on the current zoning map of the Town of Hadley, Massachusetts, said map being dated December 11, 1978; or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 41.

(By Petition)

*accept
approved*

To see if the Town of Hadley will accept the proposed bikeway or take any action thereon.

Article 42.

(By Petition)

withdraw

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to purchase a stand-by emergency electric generator and associated equipment and the installation of said equipment for the Hadley Communications Police/Fire station ,or take any action thereon.

Article 43.

(by petition)

To see if the Town will vote the following:

Whereas, S.D.I./"Star Wars" would be a step toward the militarization of space; and

Whereas, S.D.I./"Star Wars" would be ineffective in protecting our nation from nuclear weapons; and

Whereas, S.D.I./"Star Wars" has been estimated to cost as much as one trillion dollars it would be a debilitating drain on our country's financial resources; and

Whereas, outer space ought not to be militarized, but preserved for peaceful cooperation, exploration, and scientific discovery among all nations.

Therefore, it is the will of the people of Hadley that the President of the United States be notified by the Town Clerk that we are not in favor of the militarization of space and do not want any development, testing and deployment of the Strategic Defense Initiative (S.D.I./"Star Wars") or any similar program. Copies of this resolution will be sent to the U.S. Secretary of Defense, the Chairman of the House and Senate Defense Appropriation Committees, and our Congressional delegation.

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Article 44.

(by petition)

To see if the Town will vote to amend Section II-B of the Zoning Bylaws and the Zoning Map of the Town of Hadley, MA; as amended and incorporated herein by reference; by voting to change a strip of land currently zoned Agricultural/Residential to Business; said strip of land lying on the northerly side of Mill Valley Road from the intersection of Russell Street (Route 9) and Hill Valley Road approximately 1,750 feet along Mill Valley Road to the dividing line between land of Peter P. Salvatore and Ann M. Salvatore et al and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the southerly side of Russell Street and the northerly side of Mill Valley Road; thence proceeding on the northerly side of Mill Valley Road along land now or formerly of Peter P. Salvatore et al in an easterly direction approximately 1,750 feet to a point at land now or formerly of Allard Farms, said point being the intersection of the northerly line of Mill Valley Road and the easterly boundary of land now or formerly of Peter P. Salvatore et. al. and the westerly boundary of land now or formerly of Allard Farms; thence proceeding along the easterly boundary of land now or formerly of Peter P. Salvatore et al in a northerly direction to a point, said point being the intersecting lines where the current zoning divisions of the business and industrial zone meet on the easterly boundary of land now or formerly of Peter P. Salvatore et al; thence proceeding in a southwesterly direction along land now or formerly of Peter P. Salvatore et. al. and along a strip of land zoned business and on the northerly side of the parcel herein described to a point on the southerly side of Russell Street, said point being more specifically the point of intersection where the current agricultural/residential zone meets with the business zone

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on the southerly side of Russell Street; thence along the southerly side of Russell Street to the place of beginning on the northerly side of Mill Valley Road.

The above described parcel being currently zoned Agricultural/Residential and being located on the northerly side of Mill Valley Road as shown on the current zoning map of the Town of Hadley, Massachusetts, said map being dated December 11, 1978.

Article 45.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, borrow or transfer from available funds the sum of \$50,000.00 to pursue a lawsuit against Young Meadow Farm, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 46.

To see if the Town will vote to use the interest monies from the George Edwards' fund to support continued operation of the old Hopkins gymnasium and the North Hadley Hall for the main purpose of recreational and community activities, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 47.

To see if the Town will vote to purchase approximately .7 acres of land in the Town of Hadley adjacent to the Hopkins Academy on the south and west, and to raise and appropriate, borrow, or transfer from available funds a sum of money for said land purchase, or take any other action relative thereto.

The parcel of land to be purchased is more or less the parcel of land more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stone bound set in the easterly sideline of said West Street and at the northwest corner of land now or formerly of one Wanczyk and at the southwest corner of land now or formerly of Nellie and Alexander Dec; thence turning and running in N. 11 degrees E. along the easterly sideline of said West Street to an iron pin a distance of one hundred twenty and seven tenths (120.7) feet, more or less, thence turning and running S. 77 degrees 54' E. fifty nine (59) feet, more or less, along other land of the late Alexander and Nellie Dec to a point; thence turning and running in a southwesterly direction a distance of eighteen (18) feet, more or less, to a point; thence turning and running S. 77 degrees 54' E. five hundred eighty-nine (589) feet, more or less, to an iron pin; thence turning and running S. 11 degrees W. one hundred twenty and seven-tenths (120.7) feet, more or less, along other land of the late Alexander and Nellie Dec to an iron pin; thence turning and running N. 77 degrees 54' W. seven hundred thirty and no one-hundredths (730) feet, more or less, along land now or formerly of said Wanczyk to a stone bound and the point of beginning.

Article 48.

To see if the Town will vote to purchase approximately 11 acres of land in the Town of Hadley adjacent to the Hopkins Academy on the south and west, and including the house on said land, and to raise and appropriate, borrow, or transfer from available funds a sum of money for said land purchase.

The parcel of land to be purchased is more or less the

parcel of land more particularly described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Hadley on the east side of West Street, so-called, and bounded north by land now or formerly of the heirs of Rev. Dr. Dwight, land formerly of heirs of John Crain, land formerly of Ashley Briggs, and land formerly of Charles Gaylord; east by land of "Hopkins Academy"; south by land formerly of Almira B. Nash; and west by said West Street.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to the Stabilization Fund or take any action thereto.

(Recommended)

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the maintenance and operation of the Town and to meet said appropriation a sum of money be transferred from Sewer Reserve, and from Water Enterprise Fund, or take any other action thereon.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Hadley:

The year was characterized by transition and change for your Town punctuated by major changes in several key departments in both personnel and procedures. We faced many complex and difficult adjustments. Fortunately, the Town was able to respond positively to the challenges with our many dedicated and talented Committees, Department Heads and good will of our loyal employees.

Over \$1,000,000 in road construction projects were started which are expected to continue into next year. Added to last year's repaving program these projects will have a significant impact on the appearance, safety, and repair cost of our road system.

A major concern being addressed with the Finance Committee is the orderly replacement of ancient town vehicles and equipment. Schedules for the phased replacement of this equipment are being developed. The cost of maintaining the equipment is soaring and our personnel cannot provide the services they are capable of providing without functional tools.

Hadley has become the ideal place for spill-over development from neighboring Towns and strains are becoming obvious in our ability to provide the administrative support to our volunteer Committees and Boards which have to deal with the growth. It will become necessary to provide professional support for Town government as the pressures grow, if we are to maintain the traditional volunteer system of self government and if we continue to expect to

attract talented people to serve our community.

Your Board of Selectmen is currently administering nearly \$1,300,000 in grants and projects on a part-time basis, with part-time help, in addition to the road projects. These projects address such problems as capping the dump, Route 9, aquifer protection, rebuilding a bridge, computerizing Town records, as well as solid waste disposal to name a few.

What about the future? We predict increasing demand on our financial resources because the cost of running Town services is rising at a rate which consistently exceeds the rate at which we can raise funds under Proposition 2½ and because Federal aid to cities and towns has been reduced in response to the Federal deficit. In addition, under current levels of taxation, every house built in Hadley returns less in fees and taxes than it costs in services. The current and expected levels of development will eventually force the Town to broaden its tax base, raise taxes and fees, or cut services below levels which most residents will find acceptable.

We look forward to your active interest and involvement in Town Government.

Respectfully submitted,

John H. Allen, Chairman

Philip S. Mokrzecki, Clerk

Noreen D. Ciaglo, Member

REPORT OF THE OFFICE OF THE PLANNING BOARD

To the Citizens of Hadley:

The first line of last year's Planning Board Report states: "The pressure of growth has stalked Hadley in the past year." That is an extreme understatement for 1987 which saw subdivision plans for approximately 350 new homes in Hadley, and Site Plan Approvals for approximately 8 new or revisions to existing businesses, including the Western Mass. Electric Co. several million dollar maintenance facility by the Village Barn Shops.

The Planning Board instituted a fee schedule in 1987 as follows:

Subdivision Approval

Not Required:	\$0.10 per linear foot frontage
	\$17.50 minimum fee

Site Plan Approval

Application:	\$0.15 per sq. ft. new const.
	\$100.00 minimum fee

Special Permit in Limited

Business Zone:	\$0.02 per sq. ft. new const.
	\$75.00 minimum fee

Preliminary Subdivision

Application:

\$125.00 up to 10 lots, \$10 per lot
in excess of 10 lots

Definite Subdivision

Application:

\$250.00 up to 10 lots, \$20 per lot
in excess of 10 lots

Earth Removal - Special

Permit:

\$2500.00 up to 5 acres,

\$500.00 per acre over 5 acre

The Planning Board received approximately \$4000.00 in fees in 1987, these fees are used to cover routine processing costs of applications, and they were encouraged by the Finance Committee. To bring in these kinds of fees, the Town saw tremendous development pressures as stated in the first sentence of this report. The Planning Board along with the Board of Selectmen has been working on ways to control this growth. A study by the UMass Center for Rural Development was completed with extensive recommendations for both long term and short term controls of growth. These will be presented to the Townspeople via Zoning Articles for decisions on acceptance. The Planning Board wishes to thank Hampshire Mall for paying \$2000.00 for the cost of this report by the UMass group.

The Planning Board and the Townspeople must strive for a controlled growth rate which does not overburden the town services. Also the town must start planning for the long term and this includes full time: FIRE SERVICE, and POLICE SERVICE, (this is required by state law for communities over 5000 people, and Hadley only needs about 1000 more people to meet this number) as well as a facility to house them. If this is not planned for within the next 10 years we might find ourselves in a position of suddenly seeing our property taxes in a dramatic increase. We cannot stop the Town from growing, as we have seen this to be all too true in 1987, but we can lay the groundwork now to keep this growth from turning our beautiful, and scenic rural farming community, into a community of homes with little or no open space, and the scenic loss is unimaginable. Some facts on Hadley's unique qualities: Largest Area of Commercial Agricultural Land in Mass.

Town Center listed in National Register of Historic Places.

75% of Hadley rated as Scenic Landscape Inventory in Mass. while only 9% of the Commonwealth was rated as noteworthy in study.

These are only a few of the Town's unique attributes, we as townspeople know of many more. Unless we act to protect these

features we will lose them forever.

Respectfully submitted,

James J. Maksimoski, Chairman

William E. Dwyer, Jr. Sec./Clerk

John E. Devine

Chester F. Kulikowski

Joseph F. Zgrodnik

VITAL STATISTICS FOR THE TOWN OF HADLEY

To the Citizens of the Town of Hadley:

I respectfully submit to you my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1987.

BIRTHS RECORDED 1987

Number of births for the year was 53.

Birth Rate for Five Preceding Years

1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
49	48	54	41	51

DATE	NAME	NAME OF PARENTS
JANUARY		
5	Lila Esther West	Thomas Osborne & Lila Esther West West
FEBRUARY		
16	Jason Andrew Kostek	Stanley George & Kathleen Debra Fil Kostek
23	Daniel Edward Gnatek	Francis Andre & Gail Marie Glibertsen Gnatek
23	Jessica Ashley Heitman	Peter Stephen & Kathleen Ann Butler Heitman
23	Benjamin David Klock	Lynn Edward & Laura Howard Campbell Klock
25	Amanda Elizabeth Berg	Gary Alan & Jean Marie Lauder Berg
MARCH		
1	Jason Robert Aldrich	Gerald Robert & Janna Lucile Sevoian Aldrich
5	Julian Christopher Zuur	Hubert Jacobus & Kristy Doty Zuur
APRIL		
4	Wesley James Jensen	Eric William & Dianne Susan Kwartler Jensen
17	Haley Rae Oppewall	Wendell Lewis & Elizabeth Anne Smith Oppewall

27	Christopher Charles Bowles	Charles Wood & Donna Sue Clayton Bowles
	MAY	
2	Shannon Kathryn Duffy	Michael Thomas & Margaret Anne Zimmer Duffy
8	Kelly Marie Stanton	William Andrew & Karen Sue Wallace Stanton
	JUNE	
5	Bradley Edward Mish	Jeffrey Charles & Mary Ann Ellen Mokrzecki Mish
6	Anthony Charles Kozlakowski	Stanley Charles & Norma May Pratt Kozlakowski
20	Jonathan K. Chan	Jimmy T. & Nancy So Mui Chan
28	Rebecca Leann Sadlowski	Jeffrey Peter & Karen Ann Lavigne Sadlowski
	JULY	
7	Michael Christopher Burke	Charles Lee & Angela Burgess Burke
11	Jonas Allen Goldstein	Donald Goldstein & Marcia Ann Metcalfe
17	Elizabeth Lidia Goguen	David Walter & Andrea Marie Torrielli Goguen
18	Jaclynn Mary Wanczyk	Peter Martin & Marianne Theresa Kelley Wanczyk
21	Amanda Leigh Wehry	Patrick John & Jean Marie Majewski Wehry
24	Lindsey Ann Shumway	Leon David & Diane Joan Niedzwiecki Shumway
26	Lauren Alissa Sylvain	Raymond Gerald & Irene Louise Susco Sylvain
26	Katherine Anne Sylvain	Raymond Gerald & Irene Louise Susco Sylvain
27	Sarah Patricia Malek	Henry John Jr. & Sharon Lee Fortin Malek
	AUGUST	
2	Andrew James Black	Timothy James & Marion Eve Zentz Black
2	Allison Michlle Blajda	Ronald Frederick & Laura Rup Blajda
4	Kyle Joseph Brennan	George Thomas & Beth LaBranche Brennan
9	Paul Anthony Costa	Walter Manuel & Karen Marie Butts Costa
17	Joseph Patrick Tobias	Gilbert Glenn & Theresa Lynn Labonte Tobias
20	Karin Mary Pipczynski	Francis Christopher & Susan Elizabeth Kelley Pipczynski

22	Mandy Lynne Anne Dion	Alan Louise Dion Jr. & Lynne Anne Tudryn Dion
22	Mark Driscoll Waskiewicz	Thomas Mark & Carol Ann Driscoll Waskiewicz
22	Emily Grace Ward	Richard Wallace Ward Jr. & Deborah Lee Wade Ward
26	Kevin Edward Rodak	Kenneth John & Eileen Diane Sikorski Rodak
27	Shane Robert MacDowell	Robert Ernest & Karen Marie Doerle MacDowell
 SEPTEMBER		
9	Dick Chiang	Wei Seng Chiang & Shou Gi Song
17	Nathaniel Joseph Hudak	Matthew Joseph & Debra Jean Fiacchi Hudak
22	Kristin Robyn Moses	Richard Andrew & Robyn Sophie Botaish Moses
27	Jennifer Marie Satkowski	Joseph Frank & Joanne Marie Douville Satkowski
29	Jeffrey John Kristek	Stanley Vincent & Marion Theresa Waskiewicz Kristek
 OCTOBER		
3	Stephanie Anna Pearson	Sandon Scott & Monika Claudia Machler Pearson
7	Liam Mitchell Sullivan	Lawrence Michael & Diana Mary Mitchell Sullivan
17	Matthew Lawrence Sherman	Marvin Edward & Carrie Bell Fitzgerald Sherman
20	Benjamin Alan Machado	Joseph Michael & Carolyn Sue Wronski Machado
22	Mary Elizabeth Smith	Gordon & Theresa Anne Sienkiewicz Smith
 NOVEMBER		
16	Randy Richard Hoffman	Richard Louis & Janice Ann Adams Hoffman
25	Anna Lugosch Ecker	Bruce Michael Ecker & Kathleen Rita Lugosch
 DECEMBER		
18	David Edward Gralinski	Edward Joseph Jr. & Janet Ann Luis
18	Nicole Samantha Bercume	Ronald Richard & Irene Wlodkowska Bercume
25	Lydia Krystina Drake	Charles Edward III & Sherry Renate Weber Drake
26	William David Wonsey	Leonard Robert Wonsey Jr. & Nancy Virginia Garrand Wonsey

DEATHS RECORDED 1987

Number of deaths for the year was 43.

Death Rate for Five Preceding Years

1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
44	24	43	47	57

DATE	NAME	NAME OF PARENTS
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JANUARY

4	Gerald W. Sheridan	Albert & Maude Murray Sheridan
24	Erickson A. Torres	Erickson & Maria Oliveras Torres
25	Gladys Barnes	Harry H. & Emma A. Crocker Woodbury

FEBRUARY

10	Chester A. Rutkowski	Victor & Sophia Zielinski Rutkowski
10	Jacob T. Bemben	Anthony & Anne Matusko Bemben
12	Glenn G. Kellogg	Howard & Lillian Ryan Kellogg
22	Wladyslaw Stanislawczyk	Woljeiech & Julia Baczkiewicz Stanislawczyk
26	Joseph Doskotz	Joseph & Helena Beck Doskotz

MARCH

6	Clementine Bak	George & Mary Lecko Schuzdak
9	Charles H. Randall	Charles J. & Anna Hayward Randall
11	Ellen E. Callahan	John R. & Katherine Griffin
12	Janet T. Kellogg	Ewart W. & Esther Harvey Tonner
13	Julia M. Baj	Anthony & Tekla Nye Drabik
21	Nellie Sobasko	Cannot Be Learned
25	John A. Mokrzecky	Peter P. & Mary V. Wysocki Mokrzecky
28	James E. Harrop	William H. & Bessie L. Stebbins Harrop

APRIL

5	James Connor	James & Mary Wallace Connor
30	John A. Zuchowski	Alexander & Helen Piera Zuchowski

MAY

9	Katherine A. Romanowski AKA Katarzyna A. Romanowski	Anthony & Mary Sokol Federkiewicz
14	Frank S. Polczwarteck	Stanley & Helen Bak Polczwarteck
31	George E. Fontaine, Jr.	George E. & Fern Fleury Fontaine
31	Edward J. Banas	Peter and Karolina - Banas

JUNE

12	John Joseph Fisher	Gene & Anne Lockett Fisher
28	Helen E. Nash	John & Lizzie Scott Nash

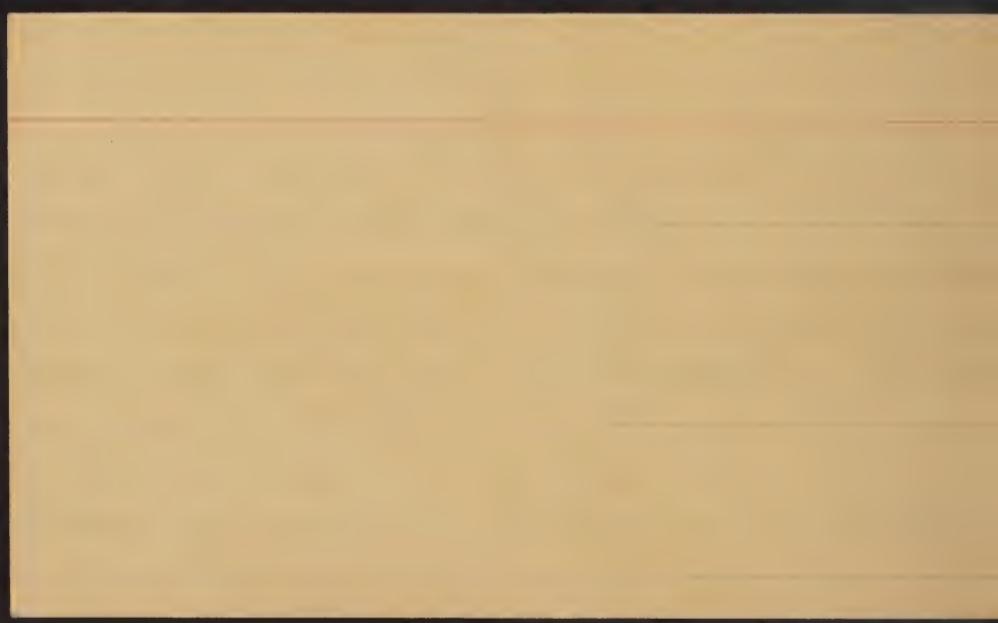
HHC strongly urge retaining acreage as
open land

of very few towns where original settlement
layout exists for over 300 yrs with
house lots with acreage in back crossed
by palisade

Hope for Natl. Reg.

No subdivisions laid out

Urge purchase for preservation



JULY

1 Edward John Suleski

John & Josephine Kopczynski
Suleski

13 Victoria Karakula

Adam & Frances Naja Veiner

AUGUST

12 Joseph C. Zwirek

John & Katherine (unknown)
Zwirek**SEPTEMBER**

3 Katherine M. Fil

Joseph & Michelina Maleski Adamski

3 John Frederick Luddy

Charles B. & Mary Clarke Luddy

13 Winthrop Ernest Perkins

Andrew & Agnes Elser Perkinsin

23 Aniela Matuszko

Anthony & Anna Drozdzal Kielbowicz

28 Edward J. Matuszko

Joseph A. & Katherine Narog

Matuszko

OCTOBER

16 Nicholas Malino

Joseph & Lovorna Giovanni

Malino

24 Herman J. Castell

Edward D. & (Unknown) Langlois

Castell

25 Mary E. Waskiewicz

John P. & Agnes Piasta

Sadlowski

NOVEMBER

About

2 Mary P. Sullivan

Patrick & Margaret Ann Hanley
Sullivan

Jesse & Charity Willey Ely

David & Ida Menard Suprenant

Joseph & Helen Swistara Matusko

About

29 Anthony Kostek Sr.

Anthony Jr. & Nellie Dec
Kostek**DECEMBER**

7 Mabel L. West

William & Mabel Brooks
Smith

15 Louis S. Bemben

Joseph & Regina Krawczyk
Bemben

23 Mary Gordon Gowdy

James & Margaret Clark
Davidson**VITAL STATISTICS FOR THE TOWN OF HADLEY****MARRIAGES RECORDED 1987**

Number of marriages for the year was 22.

1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
24	30	25	25	34

DATE	BRIDE & GROOM	BY WHOM MARRIED
JANUARY		
16	Bernard E. Yankson & Cynthia King	Philip M. Distefano Jr. Justice of the Peace
24	Robert L. Carey & Betty Ann Snow	James H. Clark Priest
MARCH		
29	James Mary Peter O'Mara & Kate Leigh Pflueger	Joanne L Pflueger Secretary, Local Spiritual Assembly
APRIL		
1	Timothy J. Meloy & Kay A. Satre	Joanna P. Devine Justice of the Peace
4	Rodney E. Patterson & Julie W. Halladay	The Rev. Malcolm R. Evans Clergyperson
5	Jonathan Paul Westerman & Tracey Stiles	Joanna P. Devine Justice of the Peace
MAY		
2	Kevin J. Kavanagh & Teresa M. Mieczkowski	Adrian J. Benoit Pries
3	Mark A. Israel & Christine M. Denison	William M. O'Riordan Justice of the Peace
31	Walter P. Kosloski & Cynthia Jean Burke	Rev. Shirlee M. Bromley Minister
JUNE		
6	Joseph Mark Tuthill & Linda Marie Celeste	Rev. Owen Lally Priest
6	John Martins & Vicky Lynn LaClair	Lloyd E. Chorpenning Clergyman
JULY		
2	Ezio Vailati & Julie K. Ward	Joanna P. Devine Justice of the Peace
31	David G. Knauf & Jayne Shumway	Rev. James H. Clark Clergyman
AUGUST		
29	Michael J. Lefebvre & Susan M. Fritz	Joanna P. Devine Justice of the Peace
SEPTEMBER		
12	Michael J. Majewski Jr. & Laurie R. Yanis	Rev. Barbara A. Whittaker- Johns Minister
20	Percy Fuller Jr. & Barbara J. Vaznis	John H. Shanley Minister
26	Philip Stanley Mokrzewski & Deborah Marie Omasta	Adrian J. Benoit Priest

OCTOBER

10	Lawrence C. Dulong & Laurel Chapman Loomis	David Ballard Loomis Clergyman
10	Floyd William Edward Morris Jr. & Yvonne Marie Pauline Authier	Rev. Yosai Yamada Chief Priest
17	Richard E. Kostek & Diane M. Giard	Adrian J. Benoit Priest
24	Stanley M. Niedziela & Catherine J. Babiec	Rev. Gerard Maciejewski Priest
31	Richard J. Fil & Marie A. Herzog	Adrian J. Benoit Priest

Hadley, Mass. October 30, 1987

To the Board of Assessors of the Town of Hadley, Mass.

I hereby certify that at the special town meeting held on October 29, 1987, it was voted to take the following sums of money from available funds:

Art. 1.	Sum transferred from Free Cash to FY 1987 Town Insurance Appropriation	\$ 9,491.85
Art. 4.	Transferred from Free Cash for land or development rights	150,000.00
Art. 14.	Transferred from Free Cash to Planning Board Account	3,000.00
Art. 17.	Transferred from Free Cash for furnace for Highway Garage	9,000.00
	Total from Available Funds	<u>\$171,491.85</u>

ATTEST:

Joanna P. Devine
Town Clerk
Hadley, Massachusetts

FISH & GAME LICENSES

Licenses Issued:

115	Resident Fishing	12.50	1,437.50
13	Resident Minor Fishing	6.50	84.50
6	Resident Citizen Fishing Age 65-69	6.25	37.50
2	Resident Citizen Fishing Paraplegic, Blind, Mentally Retarded	-0-	-0-
1	Non-Resident Citizen/ Alien Fishing	17.50	17.50

3	Non-Resident Citizen/ Alien 7-day Fishing	11.50	34.50
1	Duplicate Fishing	2.00	2.00
37	Resident Citizen Hunting	12.50	462.50
2	Resident Citizen Hunting Age 65-69	6.25	12.50
2	Non-Resident Citizen/ Alien Hunting (Big Game)	48.50	97.00
1	Non-Resident Citizen/ Alien Hunting (Small Game)	23.50	23.50
115	Resident Citizen Sporting	19.50	2,242.50
9	Resident Citizen Sporting Age 65-69	9.75	87.75
144	Resident Citizen Sporting Over 70	Free	Free
1	Duplicate Sporting	2.00	2.00
73	Archery/Primitive Firearms Stamps	5.10	372.30
31	Mass. Waterfowl Stamps	1.25	38.75
	Fees Retained		167.05
	Payments to Town Treasurer		4,785.25
			\$4,952.30

DOG LICENSES

210	Males	3.00	630.00
17	Females	6.00	102.00
204	Spayed Females	3.00	612.00
3	Kennel Licenses	10.00	30.00
3	Kennel Licenses	25.00	75.00
			\$1,449.00
437	Fees Retained	.75	327.75
	Payments to Town Treasurer		1,121.25
			\$1,449.00

Miscellaneous Fees Turned Into Town Treasurer:

Flammable Fluids Registrations	\$325.00
Sale of Street Lists	330.00
Sale of Street & Zoning Maps	39.00
Sale of Zoning Bylaw Books	215.00
Sale of Subdivision Books	80.00
Sale of Walking Tour of West Street	156.00
Zoning Board of Appeals Filing Fees	945.00
Copies of Public Records	77.83

Subdivision Filing Fees	320.00
Site Plan Approval Filing Fees	517.54
Auctioneer's Licenses	215.00
Sale of Keys	8.50
Sale of Cemetery Lots	700.00
Perpetual Care	300.00

Respectfully submitted,
Joanna P. Devine
Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION April 14, 1987

Polls opened at 10:30 a.m. and closed at 8:00 p.m. A total of 1,765 voted out of an eligible 2,726. The results were announced at 1:30 a.m. on April 15, 1987.

The count was recorded as follows:

Moderator for 1 year	
Kenneth A. Parker	1,284
Greg Mish (write in)	34
Blanks	447
Selectman for 3 years	
John S. Mieczkowski	539
Joyce A. Chunglo	267
Noreen D. Ciaglo	865
Walter S. Strycharz	68
Blanks	26
Assessor for 3 years	
Joanne I. Delong	720
Stanley M. Niedziela	938
Blanks	107
Assessor for 1 year	
Teresa L. Barstow	784
Jeffrey C. Mish	740
Thomas J. O'Connor	141
Blanks	100
School Committee for 3 years (two)	
Sandra Costigan	435
Peter P. Lore	199
Linda J. Sanderson	479
Richard G. Swaluk	705
Christine B. Sweklo	994
Blanks	718

School Committee for two years (one)	
Corinne Brennan-Dore	767
Nadine A. Gallo	678
Blanks	320
Board of Health for 3 years	
Alfred I. Szarkowski	1,326
Blanks	439
Hadley Housing Authority	
Joel E. Searle	873
Martha M. Little	776
Blanks	116
Constable for 1 year (two)	
Dennis J. Hukowicz	1,362
Robert John Waskiewicz	1,173
Blanks	995
Library Trustee for 3 years (two)	
Mary M. Kelley	1,403
Michaline Martin	1,108
Blanks	1,019
Library Trustee for 2 years	
Ann Elizabeth Cook	1,297
Blanks	468
Planning Board for 5 years	
William E. Dwyer, Jr.	845
William A. Kozera	778
Blanks	142
Sewer Commissioner for 3 years	
Timothy A. Barstow	806
Richard V. Wilga	820
Blanks	138
Elector Under Oliver Smith Will for 1 year	
John E. Devine, Jr.	1,131
Blanks	434
Question 1. Shall this town continue to be a member of the Pioneer Valley Regional Transit Authority:	
YES	1,071
NO	336
Blanks	358
Question 2. Shall the Town of Hadley be allowed to assess an additional \$52,140.00 in real estate and personal property taxes for the fiscal year beginning July first, nineteen hundred and eighty-seven?	
YES	718

NO	931
Blanks	116

Question 3. Shall the Town of Hadley be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bond issued for departmental equipment to be voted under Articles 15, 16, 19 and 20 at the Annual Town Meeting on May 7, 1987:

YES	840
NO	758
Blanks	167

Question 4. Shall the Town of Hadley be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bond issued in order to pay for necessary roof assessments and/or building repairs to be voted under Article 18 at the Annual Town Meeting on May 7, 1987:

YES	940
NO	656
Blanks	169

Question 5. Shall the Town of Hadley be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amount required to pay for the bond issued in order to repave sections of highways to be voted under Article 17 at the Annual Town Meeting on May 7, 1987:

YES	947
NO	654
Blanks	164

Question 6. To see if the Town will vote to petition the Massachusetts General Court to enact legislation that would:

a) authorize the collection by the Town of a land transfer fee not to exceed two percent (2%) of the purchase price upon the transfer of real property interests located in the Town, and the establishment of exemptions from the fee, as may be provided by a two-thirds vote at town meeting.

b) establish a Land Bank Fund in the town Treasury.

c) authorize the town to use said Land Bank Fund for the purchase of rehabilitation of certain categories of land and interests therein to be permanently held in a Town Open Land Bank, and for the management and maintenance of such lands, in order to conserve open space, protect the environment and preserve natural beauty in the Town, as may be provided by town meeting.

Debt incurred for the purposes of this Act, whether incurred before or after acceptance of the Act, may be retired or refinanced by

expenditures from the fund established hereunder.

Provided that the authority granted herein shall not reduce state tax revenues pursuant to G.L. Chapter 62F Section 4:

YES	883
NO	595
Blanks	1,765

A Recount Petition was filed by John S. Mieczkowski for a recount for the office of Board of Selectmen. The results of the recount which was held on May 6, 1987 are as follows:

Board of Selectmen

John S. Mieczkowski	540
Joyce Chunglo	270
Noreen D. Ciaglo	862
Walter Strycharz	68
Blanks	26
Total	1,765

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
May 7 and 18, 1987

In accordance with the Warrant as posted, the May 7, 1987 meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Moderator, Kenneth A. Parker, when a quorum of 100 had been reached.

Voted that after Article 7 was taken up to take up Articles 28-36.

Article 2. Voted that the Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1987, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

Article 3. Voted that the Town authorize the Selectmen to sell and convey by proper deeds in the name of the Town any land owned by or in control of the Town.

Article 4. Voted that the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for Massachusetts Small Cities Program or other federal or State monies and to expend any monies received as set forth in the appropriate application, following a public hearing.

Article 5. Voted that the Town have the following question placed upon the official ballot for the 1988 annual Town Election:

"Shall this town continue to be a member of the Pioneer Valley Regional Transit Authority?"

Article 6. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 to reimburse the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the Town's share as required by and computed under the provisions of Chapter 32, Section 59A of the General Laws of a pension or retirement allowance paid to a widow of a veteran by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the fiscal year commencing on July 1, 1987.

Article 7. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$33,000.00 to be used for maintenance and/or construction of town ways, these funds to be expended in anticipation of reimbursement from the State under the provisions of Chapter 497 of the Acts of 1971.

Article 28. Voted that the Town vote to amend the Aquifer Protection District Overlay Map as adopted in March 1985 to include all areas designated as the "Primary Recharge Area for Mt. Warner Wellfield" plate 26 of Hydrological Study of the Area surrounding the Mt. Warner Wellfield, Hadley, MA by Geologic Services Corporation, October, 1986 into the Aquifer Protection District in addition to other lands currently found in said District. Copies of this notice and the proposed new Aquifer Protection District Overlay Map are available for inspection during business hours at the Town Clerk's office, Hadley Town Hall, Middle Street, Hadley, MA.

(Approved by the Attorney General on August 25, 1987)

Article 29. Voted that the Town amend Section IX REMOVAL OF EARTH PRODUCTS of the Zoning by-laws by adding the following words to paragraph A Section IX "earth products, including but not limited to clay, silt, muck, peat." The revision of this Paragraph A. Sec. IX will read as follows: The removal from any property of earth products, including but not limited to sod, loam, sand, clay, silt, muck, peat, gravel or quarried stone shall be prohibited in all districts.

(Approved by the Attorney General on August 25, 1987)

Article 30. Voted that the Town amend the Zoning By-Laws of the town of Hadley by adding a new paragraph (V-E Open Space), a section V General Regulations.

The new paragraph V-E Open Space (20% of lot):

1. Open Space is that space on a lot unoccupied by building or structures unobstructed to the sky. Open spaces shall not be divided to streets, driveways, walks, off street parking, loading

spaces, storage of equipment or supplies, drainage ditches or designated wetlands, and expressed as a total percentage, (20% of total lot area). This area shall be maintained by vegetation and plantings.

(Approved by the Attorney General on August 25, 1987)

Article 31. Voted that the Town amend the Zoning By-Laws of the town of Hadley be amending section IV, INTENSITY REGULATIONS, Table No. 1 and Table No. 2 in the following manner:

1. Under the heading "Max % coverage including Accessory Buildings," the Planning Board wishes the word "building" — the new heading will read "Max % coverage of building including Accessory Buildings."
2. Under the heading "Max % coverage of buildings including Accessory Buildings" in the Business District change 40% to 30%, and in the Industrial District change 60% to 30%.
3. Under the heading of "Minimum Lot Dimensions, in a Business District," change the frontage from 150 feet to 175 feet and the total square area from 22,500 square feet to 30,000 square feet.
4. Under the heading "Minimum Lot Dimensions in an Aquifer Protection District" change the frontage from 150 feet to 200 feet.
5. Under the heading "Minimum Lot Dimension in an Agricultural Residence District" change the frontage from 150 feet to 175 feet and the total square area from 22,500 square feet to 30,000 square feet.

(Approved by the Attorney General on August 25, 1987)

Article 32. Voted that the Town amend Section IV - B of the Zoning By-Laws of the town of Hadley by adding the words "Business" and "Industrial" and "Agricultural" to paragraph d and e - the new paragraph will read: d. "Side yard dimensions in a Business or Industrial District will be 50 feet when adjacent to an Agricultural-Residential District." The new paragraph e. will read: e. "Rear yard dimensions in a Business or Industrial District will be (50) feet when adjacent to a Agricultural-Residential District."

(Approved by the Attorney General on August 25, 1987)

Article 33. Voted that the Town amend Section V GENERAL REGULATIONS, paragraphed V-B, Accessory Buildings of the Zoning By-Laws of the town of Hadley by adding "except" in a Business or Industrial District where the rear lot line will be (50) feet. Also add, "Accessory Use is a use incidental to the principle use of a building as defined and limited by the provisions of the zoning by laws."

The new paragraph will read:

V-B Accessory Buildings.

No accessory building or structure, except for a sign which shall be governed by the Sign Section of this By-Law contained in Section VII, shall be located within the required front yard area. No accessory buildings shall be located in any side yard area nearer to the side lot line than (15) feet, or in a rear lot line than (15) feet, "except in a Business or Industrial District where the rear lot line will be (50) feet." Accessory Use is a use incidental to the principle use of a building as defined and limited by the provision of the zoning by laws.

(Approved by the Attorney General on August 25, 1987)

Article 34. Voted to table the article.

Article 35. Voted to amend the Zoning By Laws of the Town of Hadley, Mass. by establishing a new District to be called "Limited Business."

In Section II - add to the list of districts "Limited Business District" so that it will read as follows:

Residential
Agricultural-Residential
Limited Business District
Business
Industrial
Flood Plain
Aquifer Protection

Add a new Section III-C(1) after III-B.2d. so that it reads as follows:

III-C(1) Limited Business District

1. Permitted uses

- a. Any of the uses permitted in a Agricultural-Residence District.
- b. Any use permitted by a special permit from the Board of Appeals in an Agricultural-Residence District in accordance with Section VI-B-2 of this by-law.
- c. Customary accessory uses, including those allowed in a Residence District.
- d. Farm stand for the display and sale of natural product, including those not raised in the town.
- e. A service shop, repair shop, craft shop or barber-beauty shop located within a house, garage or accessory building provided the premises are occupied by the owner.
- f. Bed and breakfast activities, provided no more than 4

guests are permitted in any one night.

2. Uses which may be permitted by Special Permit by the Planning Board in accordance with Section III-C(4) below. Total business use on any one lot shall not exceed 2,500 sq. ft. of gross floor area.
 - a. Retail business. The Board shall favor businesses compatible with agricultural use, such as a garden center or farm implement store.
 - b. Bank, business or professional offices.
 - c. Repair shop, such as shoe, appliance, electronic or jewelry repair.
 - d. Service shop.
 - e. Craft shop or on-premise manufacture of products to be sold on premises, such as jewelry, leather goods, clothes or food.
 - f. Nursery or child-care facility.

3. Uses not permitted in the Limited Business District.

In limitation of the Above, restaurant, bars, undertaking establishments, gas stations, junkyards, and facilities for the cleaning, sale or repair of motorized vehicles are not permitted in the Limited Business District.

4. Special Regulations of the Planning Board.

The Board shall adopt special regulations for the granting of special permits in the Limited Business District. The regulations shall insure that business buildings resemble, as far as practicable, residential and agricultural buildings in style, materials and landscaping; and that parking, lighting, fencing, signs are unobtrusive and in conformity with the historic scenic and agricultural-residential nature of the District. The regulations shall also set out procedures for the review of plans.

In Section III-C.(2)¹. a. delete the words "Agricultural-Residence District" and in its place add the words "Limited Business District" so the new line reads:

- a. Any of the uses permitted in a Limited Business District.

In Section IV Intensity Regulations - IV-A, Table No. 1 add "Limited Business District." 175 ft. frontage 30,000 sq. ft. area: 150 ft. depth, 150 ft. width; 50 ft. frontage 15 ft. side; 40 ft. rear; 2½ stories; 35 ft. Height 30% coverage.

In Section IV-B add the words "Limited Business District" and "Aquifer Protection." The new paragraph will read as follows: IV-B A building or structure hereafter erected in a Agricultural-Residential Limited Business, Business, Aquifer Protection or Industrial

District shall be located on a lot having not less than the minimum requirements set forth in the table below. No existing lot shall be changed as to result in the violation of the requirements set forth below.

In Section IV-B Table No. 2 add "Limited Business to the table and insert the same figures for frontage, sq. area etc. as indicated in above Table No. 1.

Section V-D 1. Add the words "Limited Business" so that the new paragraph reads as follows:

1. Any building hereafter constructed for Limited Business, Business or Industrial use shall be so located upon its parcel of land that there may be provided an off-street parking area equal to twice the floor area of the building to be constructed.

In Section VII signs in the heading section 6.0 add the words "Limited Business."

In Section 6.4 add the words "Limited Business."

Add new section 6.5 Signs in a Limited Business District shall not exceed 24 sq. feet and shall not be internally illuminated.

(Approved by the Attorney General on August 25, 1987)

Article 36. Voted that the Town amend Section II-B of the Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Hadley, MA and the Zoning Map of the Town of Hadley, MA as amended, incorporated thereby, by changing to a Limited Business District from a Business District an area of land situated on both sides of Route 47 (North) and described as follows:

Beginning at the south property line of the Regish property on the westerly side of River Drive and proceeding in a northerly direction with a strip of land 300 ft. wide that is all presently zoned "Business" to a line on the west side of Comins Road-River Drive intersection then crossing said intersection to the east side of River Drive and proceeding south with a 300 ft. strip of land that is presently zoned "Business" to the south property line of the Szafir property. All the land in the above description that is now zoned "Business" will henceforth be zoned "Limited Business."

(Approved by the Attorney General on August 25, 1987)

Article 8. Voted that the Town amend Section 6 of the By-Laws of the Town of Hadley as published in 1945 under Chapter 180 fo the Acts of 1910 to read as follows:

"There shall be an advisory on Finance Committee as provided by Chapter 180, Acts of 1910, consisting of five members to continue

in office for a term or terms not exceeding three years. (They to be appointed by the Moderator of the Annual Town Meeting, two members for a term of three years, two members for the term of two years and one member for a term of one year.) The terms of new appointees to begin on the first day of July in each year. Vacancies shall be filled by the Moderator of the Annual Town Meeting held last before the vacancy occurs. Selectmen, members of the School Committee and the Town Treasurer shall not be members of the committee. The Committee shall investigate all matters mentioned in the warrant for any Town Meeting that may affect the finances of the Town, and make reports or recommendations to the Town with reference to the same, and make recommendations to the Town with reference to any municipal question."

(Approved by the Attorney General on August 27, 1987)

Article 9. Voted that the Town establish the position of an Assessors' Assistant to work at the direction of the Board of Assessors in the Town of Hadley and to be employed by the Board of Assessors beginning fiscal year 1989.

Article 10. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate such sums of money as shall be necessary to defray the current expenses and charges of the financial year, including debt and interest, and to fix the salary and compensation of all elected officials of the Town as provided for by Section 108 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws as amended, including, if appropriate; Moderator; Selectman; Town Clerk; Town Collector; Treasurer; Assessors; Constables; Board of Health; Elector Under the Oliver Smith Will; Sewer Board Commissioners; Planning Board and Park Commission and to provide for a reserve fund for the current financial year.

Item 2. Voted to transfer \$20,000 from the Overlay Account and to raise and appropriate \$30,000.000.

Item 9. Assessors - defeated to amend the budget to the FY 87 level.

Item 11. Police - defeated to amend the budget by increasing it to \$191,968 with additional money to be used for a Highway Safety Program as outlined in Chief Richard S. Grader's letter to the Board of Selectmen dated May 5, 1987.

Item 20. Voted to transfer the items under Water Dept. from the Water Surplus Account.

Item 23. Voted to amend the School Budget as follows: Schools: \$2,061,137.00; Athletic Fund + receipts \$52,388.00 for a total operating budget of \$2,118,125.00

Item 25. Voted to amend the Planning Board's other expenses to \$2,000.00.

Item 27. Voted to amend Veterans Headquarters to \$900.00.

Motion was made by Helen Kapinos to appropriate \$3,837,088 for the maintenance and operation of the town and to meet said appropriation raise \$3,632,538 from overlay surplus \$20,000 from sewer reserve; \$152,300 and from free cash \$32,250. Seconded by Max Wojtowicz. Passed by unanimous vote.

Article 11. Voted that the Town vote to approve the submission of a petition to the General Court requesting special legislation that would authorize the Town to conduct recall elections in accordance with the following provisions:

- a. **Who can be Recalled** - Any holder of an elective office may be recalled therefrom by the registered voters of the town as herein provided, for reason of lack of fitness, incompetence, neglect of duties, corruption, malfeasance, misfeasance or violation of oath.
- b. **Recall Petition** - Any ten (10) registered voters of the town may file an affidavit with the town clerk containing the name of the officer sought to be recalled and a statement of the grounds for recall. The town clerk shall thereupon deliver to said voters copies of printed form petition blanks addressed to the Selectmen demanding such recall. The blanks shall be issued under the signature and official seal of the Town Clerk. They shall be dated, and shall contain the names of all persons to whom they are issued, the name of the person whose recall is sought, and the grounds of recall as stated in the affidavit. In addition, the petitions shall demand the election of a successor to the said office. A copy of the petition shall be entered in a record book to be kept in the office of the town clerk. The recall petition shall be returned and filed with the town clerk within twenty (20) days after the filing of the affidavit, with signatures, names and street addresses of at least twenty (20) per cent of the registered voters of the town. Within twenty-four (24) hours of receipt, the Town Clerk shall submit the petition to the registrars of voters in the town, and the registrars shall forthwith certify thereon the number of signatures which are names of registered voters of the town. If the petition shall be found and certified by the town clerk to be sufficient, it shall be submitted with his or her certificate to the selectmen without delay.
- c. **Selectmen's Action on Receiving Petition** - The selectmen shall forthwith give written notice of the receipt of the certificate to the officer sought to be recalled. If the officer does not resign without five (5) days thereafter, the selectmen shall order an

election to be held on a date fixed by them not less than Sixty (60) nor more than (70) days after the date of the town clerk's certificate that a sufficient petition has been filed; provided, however, that if any other town election is scheduled to occur within sixty (60) days after the date of the certificate, the selectmen shall postpone the holding of the recall election to the date of such other election. If a vacancy occurs in said office after a recall election has been ordered, the election shall nevertheless proceed as provided in this section.

- d. **Nomination of Candidates** - Any officer sought to be removed may be a candidate to succeed himself, and unless the officer requests otherwise in writing, the town clerk shall place said name on the ballot without nomination. The nomination of other candidates, the publication of the warrant for the removal election, and the conduct of the same, shall all be in accordance with the provisions of law relating to elections, unless otherwise provided in this section.
- e. **Incumbent Holds Office Until Election** - The incumbent shall continue to perform the duties of his or her office until the recall election. If then re-elected, the officer shall continue in office for the remainder of his or her unexpired term, subject to recall as before, except as provided in this section. If not re-elected in the recall election, he or she shall be deemed removed upon the qualification of a successor, who shall hold office during the unexpired term. If the successor fails to qualify within five (5) days after receiving notification of election, the incumbent shall thereupon be deemed removed and the office vacant.
- f. **Propositions on Ballot** - Ballots used in a recall election shall submit the following propositions in the order indicated:

For the recall of (name of officer)

Against the recall of (name of officer)

Immediately at the right of each proposition there shall be a square in which the voter, by making cross mark (X), may vote for either of the said propositions. Under the proposition shall appear the word, "Candidates," the directions to voters required by Section 42 of Chapter 54 of the General Laws, and beneath this the names of candidates nominated as hereinbefore provided. If a majority of the votes cast upon the question of recall is in the affirmative, the candidate receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected. If a majority of votes on the question is in the negative the ballots for candidates need not be counted.

g. Repeat of Recall Petition - No recall petition shall be filed against an officer within three (3) months after he or she takes office, nor, in the case of an officer subjected to a recall election and not recalled thereby until at least (3) months have elapsed after the election at which the recall was submitted to the voters of the town.

(Passed to be enacted by the House of Representatives and Senate on September 23, 1987 and approved by Governor, Michael S. Dukakis, on October 5, 1987.)

Article 12. Voted that the town direct the Selectmen appoint a committee of 7 to 11 persons to study the immediate and long range housing needs for the municipal departments including but not limited to police, fire and communications center personnel, present good alternatives for meeting those needs, develop a plan of action for implementation of the good alternatives, and report to the voters no later than the 1988 annual town meeting.

Article 13. Defeated to accept the following By-Law:

In order to promote sound financial procedures and insure the integrity and independence of the audit function of the Town of Hadley, the Board of Selectmen shall not appoint the same auditor to audit the Town for more than seven (7) consecutive years.

The meeting adjourned at 10:50 p.m. There was a total of 269 registered voters out of an eligible 2,726 at the May 7, 1987 annual town meeting session.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING SESSION May 18, 1987

The meeting was called to order at 8:05 p.m. by Moderator, Kenneth A. Parker, when a quorum of 100 had been reached.

Article 45. Voted that the Town establish a Water Available Surplus Account as prescribed under Chapter 41, Section 69B of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Article 14. Voted that the Town borrow in anticipation of revenue the sum of \$32,000 to be used for the installation of no less than 10 new fire hydrants and valves and the installation of no less than 6 main line valves and other water department improvements.

Article 15. Voted that the Town borrow the sum of \$55,000 to be used to purchase a new dump truck and snow plow and to trade, sell or retain the 1967 Ford dump truck.

Article 16. Voted that the Town borrow the sum of \$72,000 for use by

the Highway Department to purchase a new 4-wheel drive backhoe and to further authorize the Board of Selectmen to trade or sell the 1969 Case backhoe.

Article 17. Voted that the Town borrow the sum of \$75,000 for use by the Highway Department to purchase blacktop for repaving various roads in the Town of Hadley.

Article 18. Voted that the Town borrow the sum of \$50,000 for necessary roof assessments and/or exterior building repairs.

Article 19. Voted that the Town borrow the sum of \$35,000 for the purchase of a new school bus.

Article 20. Voted that the Town borrow the sum of \$13,500 to purchase one new four door sedan with accessories for the Police Department.

Article 21. Voted that no action be taken to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 to purchase two mobile and seven portable radios with chargers for use by the Police Department.

Article 22. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 to purchase a Breathalyzer for use by the Police Department.

Article 23. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500 to purchase a copy machine for use by the Police Department.

Article 24. Voted to take no action to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 to excavate, waterproof the exterior walls, and regarde the East, South and West lawns of the Goodwin Memorial Library.

Article 25. Voted that the Town appoint a committee of five to study the feasibility of establishing a classified compensation plan for all town employees and a personnel board to govern the fringe bnefits and compensation of all nonunion town employees except elected officials and school department employees. One member of said committee shall be appointed Moderator; one member of said committee shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen; one member of said committee shall be appointed by the Board of Assessors; one member of said committee shall be appointed by the Planning board; and one member of said committee shall be appointed by the Board of Health. No member of the committee shall be any employee or a relative of the town as defined by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Conflict of Interest Statute.

Said committee shall report back to the town meeting no later than the annual town meeting held in 1988.

At this point in the meeting it was voted to include in the motion on Articles 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 to authorize the Town Treasurer

with the approval of the Board of Selectmen to borrow under Chapter 44, Section 7 or 8.

Also, voted to have motion on Article 14 read that the town vote to borrow the sum of \$32,000 to be used for the installation of no less than ten new fire hydrants and valves and the installation of not less than six main line valves and other water department improvements and to authorize the Town Treasurer to borrow said sum with the approval of the Board of Selectmen under the authority of Chapter 44, Section 7 or 8.

Article 26. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000 to provide for a fire and security system for the Town Hall.

Article 27. Voted that the town transfer from Revenue Sharing Funds the sum of \$23,178.00 to the Fiscal 1987 Police Department budget.

Article 37. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$148,000.00 for the sewer system evaluation survey in the Town of Hadley for associated engineering, legal, and fiscal services; that to meet this appropriation the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is authorized to borrow \$148,000.00 under G.L.C. 44, S. 7(1) as amended or G.L.C. 44, S 8(20); that the Board of Sewer Commissioners are authorized to contract for federal aid which shall be spent for the project, provided that the total authorized borrowing for the project shall be reduced by the amount of such aid; that the Board of Sewer Commissioners are authorized to execute a loan resolution for the Farmers Home Administration (Form 422-47) or other form prescribed by the FMHA, or by other financing that may be available, provided, however, that the validity of any borrowing under this vote shall not depend upon the validity or enforceability of any particular provisions of the loan resolution, thereto, and that the principles and interest for any long term borrowing associated with this action be paid for by user capital recovery charges.

Article 38. Voted that the Town rescind the authority of the Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to borrow the sum of \$52,581.03, which represents the unissued portion of three loans authorized to be borrowed under the following Town Meeting votes. Said sums not having been necessary to complete the following projects.

AUTHORIZED ISSUED OUTSTANDING

Departmental Equipment Loan

Articles 7, 23 & 24

March 22, 1978 Town Meeting	\$79,000.00	\$70,930.97	\$8,069.03
Chap. 570 Highway Projects Art. 8,			

March 19, 1981 Town Meeting	15,851.00	0	15,851.00
Chap. 329 Highway Projects Art. 9,			
March 19, 1981 Town Meeting	28,661.00	0	28,661.00
TOTAL:			\$52,581.03

Article 39. Voted that the Town appropriate from Sewer surplus Revenue the sum of \$20,000 for the replacement of 375 feet of 12" sanitary sewer in Stockbridge Road during the reconstruction of the roadway by the State D.P.W.

Article 40. Voted that the town transfer the sum of \$50,000.00 from the Employment Security Trust Fund Account into the Stabilization Fund.

Article 41. Voted that the town borrow the sum of \$32,099.00, the State's share available under Chapter 90 Type money and such funds as the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Public Works may provide and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$11,000.00 the Town's share in addition to the \$32,099.00, the state's share, and to authorize the Selectmen to enter into contracts with the Commonwealth of Mass. Department of Public Works under Chapter 206 of Chapter 90 Type money for fiscal 1988.

Article 42. Voted that the Town accept and expend monies under Chapter 811 of Chapter 90 Type monies.

Article 43. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$250.68 to pay two police department bills from fiscal year 1986. Mr. Parker explained they were two bills from N. Hadley Garage. One is for \$175.68 and the other is for \$75.00 for a total of \$250.68.

Article 44. Voted that the town accept the Betterment Act as described in Chapter 80 and 83 in the Massachusetts General Laws.

Article 45. Voted that the town establish a Water Available Surplus Account as prescribed under Chapter 41, Sec. 69B of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Article 46. Voted that the town create a special unpaid committee to be known as the regional refuse disposal planning committee consisting of three persons appointed by the Moderator in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 44A, of the General Laws.

Article 47. Voted that the town join the National Flood Insurance Program and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 48. Voted that the town use the sum of \$7,345.07, the interest monies from the George Edward's Fund, to support continued

operation of the Old Hopkins Academy Gymnasium and/or for the North Hadley Hall for the main purpose of recreational and community activities.

Article 49. Voted that the town adopt a Pit Bull By-Law.

(Disapproved by the Attorney General on August 27, 1987)

Article 50. Voted that the town transfer from available funds the sum of \$380,000 to the Stabilization Fund.

Article 51. Voted to appropriate the sum of \$3,837,088.00 for the maintenance and operation of the town and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$23,179.00 be transferred from Federal Revenue Sharing, \$20,000.00 from Overlay Surplus, \$152,300.00 from Sewer Reserve and \$32,250.00 from Free Cash.

Article 52. Voted that the town accept as a gift a certain tract of land located in Hadley, in Fort Meadow, so called, more particularly described under Article 52 of the 1987 annual town meeting warrant.

The town meeting was adjourned at 9:45 p.m. There were a total of 109 registered voters out of 2726 eligible voters for this session of the town meeting.

To the Board of Assessors of the Town of Hadley, Mass.

I hereby certify that at the annual town meeting held on May 7 and May 18, 1987, it was voted to appropriate the following sums of money to be raised by taxation or taken from available funds for the purpose of defraying charges for the fiscal year 1987 - 1988 and the use of \$815,397.00 from available funds in determining the tax levy:

Art. 6.	Sum for Ch. 32, Sec. 59 A MGL Widow of a Veteran	\$ 3,000.00
Art. 7.	Sum for Chap. 497	33,000.00
Art. 10.		
Item 1.	Moderator, Salaries & Expense	150.00
Item 2.	Finance Com. Salaries: Chm. \$200; Mem. \$150 ea.	800.00
	Membership - M.F.C.	150.00
	Reserve Fund (Transfer \$20,000 from Overlay Acct.)	30,000.00
Item 3.	Selectmen's Office Salaries - Chm: \$1400.; Mem. \$1200 ea.	3,800.00
	Administrative Assistant	6,200.00
	Dept. Secretary	12,529.00

	Town Reports	4,329.00
	License Board	0
	Legal Services	10,000.00
	Town Hall	19,980.00
	North Hadley Hall	3,120.00
	Other Expenses	8,170.00
	Town Planner	0
Item 4.	Fringe Benefits/Ins.	
	Workmen's Comp.	23,000.00
	Life Insurance	1,100.00
	Health Insurance	88,000.00
	Retirement	65,768.00
	Disability Ins. (111F)	5,000.00
	FICA	6,000.00
	Property Insurance	76,272.00
	Boiler & Machine Insurance	2,491.00
	Motor Vehicle Insurance	21,500.00
	Public Officials Ins.	18,000.00
	Police Liability Ins.	9,500.00
	School Leaders Ins.	1,750.00
	Police Accident Ins.	1,200.00
	Fire Dept. Insurance	3,000.00
Item 5.	Inspectors	
	Building Insp.	8,000.00
	Plumbing/Gas	1,600.00
	Electrical	2,000.00
Item 6.	Town Accountant, Salaries & Expense	28,820.00
	Town Audit	8,100.00
Item 7.	Town Treasurer	
	Salary \$11,062.00	11,062.00
	Other Salaries & Expense	15,990.00
	Interest	87,520.00
Item 8.	Town Collector	
	Salary: \$12,510.00 plus fees	12,510.00
	Other Salaries & Expense	15,001.00
Item 9.	Assessors	
	Salaries: Chm. \$4750.00; Mem. \$4200.00 ea.	13,150.00
	Other Salaries & Expense	26,230.00
Item 10.	Town Clerk	
	Salary: \$5,950.00 plus fees	5,950.00
	Other Salaries & Expense	9,146.00
	Election and Registration	5,224.00
Item 11.	Police Department, Salaries & Expense	179,968.00

Item 12.	Communications Center	
	Salaries	54,000.00
	Other Expenses	10,155.00
Item 13.	Fire Department	
	Salaries and Expenses	41,450.00
	Ambulance	31,265.00
Item 14.	Public Health Chm. \$1543.00; Clk. \$1323.00;	
	Mem. \$1212.00	4,079.00
	Other Salaries & Expense	11,980.00
Item 15.	Town Dump	0
Item 16.	Civil Defense	1,000.00
Item 17.	Dog Care	500.00
Item 18.	Highway Department	
	General Highway	122,515.00
	Legal	5,000.00
	Forestry	17,393.00
	Ditches	5,539.00
	Dike	5,153.00
	Sidewalk Maintenance	5,668.00
	Bridges	4,321.00
	Dutch Elm	2,500.00
	Insect Extermination	900.00
	Road Machinery	75,113.00
	Cemeteries	6,800.00
Item 19.	Water Department - Transferred from	
Item 20.	Water Surplus	
Item 21.	Sewer Department, Salaries Chm. \$900.00;	
	Mem. \$700.00 ea.	2,300.00
	Loan	25,265.00
	Interest	16,355.00
Item 22.	Street Lights	14,312.00
Item 23.	School Department	
	Schools	2,061,137.00
	Athletic Funds + Receipts	52,388.00
	Band Fund Plus Receipts	4,600.00
Item 24.	Library (plus \$3473 from state)	30,107.00
Item 25.	Planning Board, Salaries Chm. \$400.00;	
	Mem. \$325.00 ea.	1,700.00
	Other Expenses	2,000.00
Item 26.	Board of Appeals, Chm. \$475.00; Clk. \$375.00;	
	Mem. \$325.00	1,175.00
	Other Expenses	450.00

Item 27.	Veterans Services	2,000.00
	Headquarters	900.00
Item 28.	Council on Aging	
	Salaries and Expenses	12,180.00
	Van Account	4,000.00
Item 29.	Park Commission, Salaries Chm. \$400.00;	
	Mem. \$300.00 ea.	1,000.00
	Other Expenses	8,775.00
Item 30.	Historical Commission	3,000.00
Item 31.	Pioneer Valley Planning Com.	700.00
Item 32.	Conservation Commission	340.00
Item 33.	Elector Oliver Smith Will	100.00
Item 34.	Industrial & Development Commission	20.00
Art. 22.	Sum for Breathalyzer for Police Dept.	3,000.00
Art. 23.	Sum for Copy Machine	1,500.00
Art. 26.	Sum for Fire and Security System for Town Hall	4,000.00
Art. 41.	Sum for Chap. 90	11,000.00
Art. 43.	Sum for FY 86 Bill, N. Hadley Garage, Police Dept.	250.68
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		\$3,557,965.68

From Available Funds in Treasury:

Art. 10.		
Item 2.	Reserve Fund (\$30,000 raise & approp.; \$20,000 Overlay Acct.)	\$20,000.00
Item 20.	Water Department	
	Maintenance (From Water Surplus Acct.)	45,073.00
	Power (From Water Surplus Acct.)	42,000.00
	Bond & Notes (From Water Surplus Acct.)	63,000.00
	Interest (From Water Surplus Acct.)	12,500.00
Item 21.	Sewer Maintenance (From Sewer Receipts)	152,300.00
Art. 27.	Sum from Revenue Sharing for FY 87	
	Police Dept. Budget	23,179.00
Art. 39.	Sum from Sewer Surplus for Stockbridge St.	20,000.00
Art. 40.	Sum from Employment Security Trust Fund Acct. into Stabilization Fund	50,000.00
Art. 48.	Sum from Geo. Edwards' Interest for Old Gym & N. Hadley Hall	7,345.00
Art. 50.	Sum from Available Funds to Stabilization Fund	<hr/> 380,000.00
		<hr/> \$815,397.00

Total from Taxation:	\$3,557,965.68
Total from Available Funds:	<u>815,397.00</u>
Total:	\$4,373,362.68

ATTEST:

Joanna P. Devine
Town Clerk
Hadley, Massachusetts

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, October 29, 1987

In accordance with the warrant as posted and advertised in the Daily Hampshire Gazette, according to a Town By-Law, the October 29, 1987 Special Town Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. when a quorum of 100 had been reached.

Voted to take Article 9 out of order and be the first article on the floor this evening.

Article 9. Defeated to amend Section II-B of the Town of Hadley zoning by-laws and the zoning map of the Town of Hadley by rezoning the following parcel of land from Agricultural/Residential to Industrial, said parcel being located in the Town of Hadley and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the southerly side of Russell Street and the northerly side of Mill Valley Road; thence proceeding along the northerly side of Mill Valley road along land n/f of Peter Salvatore et. als. and along land of Allard Farms in a northeasterly direction to the intersection of Mill Valley Road and South Maple Street and to a point, said point being at the intersection of the northerly line of Mill Valley Road and the westerly line of South Maple Street; thence proceeding on the westerly side of South Maple Street in a northeasterly direction and along land n/f of Allard Farms to a point on the westerly side of South Maple Street said point being the intersecting lines where the current zoning divisions of the agricultural/residential and industrial zone meet on the westerly side of South Maple Street; thence proceeding in a southwesterly direction along land of Allard Farms and along land of Peter Salvatore et. als. and along a strip of land now zoned business and on the northerly side to the parcel herein described to the southerly side of Russell Street said point being more specifically the point of intersection where the current agricultural/residential zone meets with the current industrial zone on the southerly side of Russell Street; thence proceeding along the southerly side of Russell Street in a southwesterly direction to the intersection of the

southerly line of Russell Street and the northerly side of Mill Valley Road and to the place beginning.

The above described parcel being zoned Agricultural/Residential and being located on the northerly side of Mill Valley Road as shown on the current zoning map of the Town of Hadley, Massachusetts, said map being dated December 11, 1978.

Article 1. Voted that the Town transfer the sum of \$9491.85 from Free Cash to the Fiscal year 1987 Town insurance appropriation for the unfunded portion of the fiscal year 1987 Town Insurance Account resulting from the unanticipated increase in the premiums for town insurance in fiscal year 1987.

Article 2. Voted that the Town vote to borrow \$15,000 for repairs, painting and engineering to be added to the \$75,000.00 voted by Article 40 of the 1986 Annual Town Meeting to be used on the 1 million gallon water storage tank and the 150 thousand gallon stand pipe located on Mt. Warner. The monies to be repaid by water user fees.

Article 3. Voted to withdraw Article 3 which was for a sum of money for the purchase of additional computer equipment, computer-related equipment, computer-related services and computer software for the administrative offices of the town.

Article 4. Voted that the Town transfer the sum of \$150,000 from Free Cash to establish a Town Land Fund for the purpose of purchasing land or development rights in the Town of Hadley or providing a Town cash match for the purchase of land or development rights in the Town of Hadley through Federal, State, or private non-profit open space and agricultural protection programs. Any principal and interest in said fund shall be used for the purpose of open space protection and preservation, agriculture protection and preservation, conservation or recreation area land acquisition, or land acquisition for any other Town purpose. The monies of said fund shall be committed for a particular parcel of land on the recommendation of the Board of Selectmen by vote of Town Meeting.

Article 5. Voted that the Town direct and authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into negotiations under the Town's Land Fund for the purchase of the development rights to a parcel of land on Mt. Warner in Hadley, Massachusetts, owned by Jessie S. Agassiz, formerly part of the Fred Scott estate, and more particularly bonded and described as follows:

The approximately 98 acre parcel of land shown on the Town of Hadley Assessors' maps as parcel 5 on map 12A; and bounded on the north and east by Lake Warner and the Mill River; and bounded on

the west by parcels of land showing on the Town of Hadley Assessors' maps as parcel 2 on map 11C and parcel 16 on map 12A; and bounded on the south by parcels of land showing on the Town of Hadley Assessors' maps as parcel 3 on map 11C, parcel 19 on map 11A and parcel 30 on map 11A.

Article 6. As no one was present to give the interim report of the Hampshire County Charter Commission the Moderator said Article 6 would be deferred to the end of the town meeting when it would then be taken up again.

Article 7. Voted to amend the zoning bylaws of the Town of Hadley by adding a section XIII entitled "Annual Building Permit Limitation" to the zoning bylaws which reads as follows:

Section XIII. Annual Building Permit Limitation

1. Rate of Development

1.1. Purpose

The purpose of Section XIII, "Rate of Development," of the Hadley zoning bylaws is as follows:

- A. To promote orderly growth in the Town of Hadley consistent with the rate of residential growth over the last 8 calendar years.
- B. To phase growth so that it will not unduly strain in the community's ability to provide basic public facilities and services.
- C. To provide the Town, its boards and its agencies, the information, time, and capacity to develop and implement a growth management plan for the community.
- D. To promote growth in the Town of Hadley in an environmentally sound manner that is consistent with the protection of groundwater supply quality and quantity for the Town of Hadley.
- E. To provide the Town of Hadley, its boards and its agencies, with the ability to coordinate the community's interest in agriculture and open space preservation with the community's interest in housing growth.
- F. To preserve and enhance the existing community character and the value of property.

1.2. General

Beginning on the date of the adoption of the by-law, no more than 6 building permits for new dwellings in each of the 4 quadrants of the Town of Hadley, a total of 24 building permits in the entire Town of Hadley, shall be issued for the construction of new residential dwellings in each of the five full calendar years following said adoption.

1.3. Procedures

Any building permits for residential dwellings issued under Section 1.2. of this bylaw shall be issued in accordance with the following procedures:

- A. Building permits shall be issued on Tuesday (or in case of a holiday or summer meeting schedule, at the next scheduled meeting) of each week by the Board of Selectmen, following approval by the building inspector. The building inspector shall act on each permit in order of submission. Any permit application that is incomplete shall be returned to the applicant and shall require new submission.
- B. From the first Tuesday in January through the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in June, one (1) permit shall be issued per week. Permits not issued in any week of the calendar year in accordance with this schedule shall be available for issuance by the Board of Selectmen in any subsequent week up to the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in June, after approval by the building inspector and with the provision that no more than a total of six building permits can be issued in any one quadrant of the Town of Hadley in any one calendar year. If all twenty-four permits have not been issued by the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in June, the remaining permits shall be issued as applied for until a total of twenty-four permits, but no more than six permits in any quadrant of the Town, have been approved by the building inspector and issued by the Board of Selectmen in any one calendar year.
- C. For the purpose of issuing building permits under this bylaw the Town of Hadley is divided into the following four quadrants:
 1. Quadrant One: All parts of the Town of Hadley north of a line running from the Connecticut River to the Amherst Town line along the center line of Huntington Road, described as follows: from the intersection of Huntington Road and River Drive to the intersection of Huntington Road and Rocky Hill Road, and from the intersection of Huntington Road and Rocky Hill Road to the Amherst Town line along Rocky Hill Road to the Amherst Town line along Rocky Hill Road.
(Note: For the purpose of defining the boundary of the Quadrant One, the line running along Huntington Road as defined herein extends due west from the intersection of Huntington Road and River Drive to the Connecticut River.)
 2. Quadrant Two: All part of the Town of Hadley north of a line running from the Connecticut River to the Amherst Town line along the center line of Route Nine, and south of a line running

from the Connecticut River to the Amherst Town line along the center line of Huntington Road, as described in quadrant one.

3. Quadrant Three: All parts of the Town of Hadley north of a line running from the Amherst Town line along the center of Bay Road to the intersection of Bay Road and Lawrence Plain Road and south of a line running from the Connecticut River to the Amherst Town line along the center line of Route Nine. (For the purpose of defining the boundary of quadrant three, the line running along Bay Road as defined herein extends due west to the Connecticut River from the intersection of Bay Road and Lawrence Plain Road.)
 4. Quadrant Four: All parts of the Town of Hadley south of a line running from the Amherst Town line along the center of Bay Road from the intersection of Bay Road and Lawrence Plain Road to the Amherst Town line as described in quadrant three.
- D. From the first Tuesday in January through the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in June, no more than three building permits may be issued to any single individual or organization by the Board of Selectmen. If all twenty-four building permits have not been issued by the Board of Selectmen by the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in June, the remaining building permits will be issued during the remainder of the calendar year to any applicant as applied for without regard to the number of building permits granted to any single individual or organization during the period from the first Tuesday in January through the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in June, and with the provision that no more than six building permits will be issued in each quadrant in any one calendar year.

1.4. Special Needs Housing

Upon a determination by the Planning Board, under a special permit that the proposed development will meet the special needs in housing provision, Section 1.4 of this bylaw, the proposed development shall be exempt from Section 1., "Rate of Development," in its entirety. Such special needs permit shall be granted if the housing is proposed by a public or non-profit organization relying on committed state and Federal subsidies, a majority of the units will be sold or leased at terms affordable to households and individuals with incomes not exceeding those defined as "moderate income" by the Massachusetts Executive Office of Communities and Development:

1.5. Exemptions

The provisions of this Section 1., "Rate of Development" shall

not apply to nor limit in any way the granting of building or occupancy permits as required for enlargement, restoration, or reconstruction of dwellings existing on lots as of the date of passage of this bylaw.

Motion was seconded by Frank Zalot.

Motion was made by James Maksimoski to amend Section XIII, by changing it to Section XV.

Seconded by John H. Allen.

The amendment was passed by unanimous vote.

Motion was made by James Maksimoski to amend Section 1.3D to read:

From the first Tuesday in January through the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in June, no more than three building permits may be issued to any single applicant by the Board of Selectmen. For the purpose of this section, an applicant shall be an individual, partnership, corporation, trust or other legal entity in which the applicant of record holds a legal or beneficial ownership greater than one per cent. If all twenty-four building permits have not been issued by the Board of Selectmen by the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in June, The remaining building permits will be issued during the remainder of the calendar year to any applicant as applied for without regard to the number of building permits granted to any single applicant during the period from the first Tuesday in January through the second Tuesday before the last Tuesday in June, and with the provision that no more than six building permits will be issued in each quadrant in any one calendar year.

Seconded by Frank Zalot.

The amendment was passed by unanimous vote.

Motion was made by James Maksimoski to amend Section 1.3D as follows:

Building permits shall be limited to one (1) permit for a new dwelling per applicant from January 1st through June 31st. After July 1st, remaining permits will be available to anyone.

Seconded by Frank Zalot.

The amendment was passed by unanimous vote.

The vote on the article as amended was:

For: 226; Against 3.

The article passed as amended.

(Disapproved by the Attorney General Dec. 28, 1987. G.L. c. 143,

s 3 & Section 114.0 of the State Building Code provides that the Building Inspector is the final authority for the issuance of building permits. A town by-law may not vest this power in the Board of Selectmen.)

Article 8. Voted that the town amend the zoning bylaws of the Town of Hadley by adding a Section XIV entitled "Subdivision Phasing" to the zoning bylaws which reads as follows:

1. Purpose

The purpose of Section XIV, "Subdivision Phasing," of the Hadley Zoning Bylaws is as follows:

- A. To assure that growth will be phased so as to not unduly strain the community's ability to provide basic public facilities,
- B. To assure that growth shall take place in the Town of Hadley in an environmentally sound manner that is consistent with the protection of groundwater supply quality and quantity,
- C. To assure that growth will allow the Town of Hadley, its boards, and its agencies to coordinate agriculture and open space preservation with the community's interest in housing growth,
- D. To assure that growth will not disturb the social fabric of the community,
- E. To assure that growth will be in keeping with the community's desired rate of growth.

2. Applicability

Any provision in this bylaw to the contrary notwithstanding, division of land into more than ten lots in any twelve month period, shall be subject to the following regulations and conditions set forth herein.

3. Requirements

Whenever a new lot or lots is or are formed from a part of any other lot or lots, the assembly or separation shall be effected in such a manner as to not impair any of the requirements of this bylaw, and shall be in accordance with the zoning bylaws and subdivision regulations for the Town of Hadley.

4. Division of Land Limitations

The division of a parcel or combined adjacent parcels of land in any zoning district shall not exceed ten lots in any twelve month period. This provision shall apply to any proposed division or combination of properties which were in the same ownership and contiguous as of May 8, 1987. The foregoing provisions shall be

applicable to all subdivision of land within the Town of Hadley even if approval under the Subdivision Control Law, M.D.G.A. Ch. 41, is not required.

5. Exceptions

Division of land in excess of ten lots as defined in Section 4 of this bylaw may be allowed only if one of the following are met:

- A. The owner of said land covenants with the Planning Board that the owner will not build upon more than ten lots in any twelve month period. Said twelve month period shall commence on the date of endorsement of a plan by the Planning Board. The covenant shall be recorded with all other pertinent documents including either the definitive plan or the plan which has been endorsed "approval not required."
- B. The owner of said land applies for and receives a special permit from the Planning to create more than ten lots in any twelve month period. The Planning Board may grant a special permit for such division only if the board determines that the probably benefits to the community outweigh the probably adverse effects resulting from granting such permit, considering the impact on schools; other public facilities, traffic and pedestrian travel, recreational facilities, openspaces, agricultural resources, traffic hazards, preservation of unique natural features, planned rate of development, and housing for senior citizens and people of low or moderate income, as well as the growth management plans by the planning board pursuant to M.G.L.A. Ch. 40A, S. 6.

6. Zoning Change Protection

The protection against subsequent zoning change granted by M.G.L.A. Ch. 40A S. 6, to land in a subdivision shall, in the case of a development whose completion has been constrained by Section 2 of this bylaw or subject to the covenant as provided in Section 5., A., of this bylaw, be extended to ten years.

7. Relation to Real Estate Assessment

Any land owner denied a building permit because of these provisions may appeal to the Board of Assessors, in conformity with M.G.L.A. Ch. 59, S. 59, for a determination as to the extent to which the temporary restriction on development use of such land will affect the assessed valuation placed on such land for the purpose of real estate taxation, and for abatement as determined to be appropriate.

(Disapproved by the Attorney General December 28, 1987. Art. 8 would ban subdivisions of over ten new lots in any twelve month

period. This is inconsistent with the owner's right to perfect a subdivision plan (G.L. c. 41, ss 81K et seq). A subdivision may properly thereafter be made subject to a controlled rate of development. See *Sturges v. Chilmark*, 380 Mass. 246 , 1980).

Article 10. So moved by James Maksimoski that the Town vote to amend Section 11-B of the Town of Hadley zoning bylaws and the zoning map of the Town of Hadley by rezoning the following parcel of land from Agricultural/Residential to Limited Business, said parcel being a strip of land lying on the northerly side of Rocky Hill Road (a public way in the Town of Hadley, Commonwealth of Massachusetts) starting three hundred feet (300') more or less from the intersection of River Drive and Rocky Hill Road and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Rocky Hill Road said point being approximately three hundred feet from the intersection of River Drive and Rocky Hill Road and said point also being on the current division line between a parcel currently zoned business and a parcel currently existing as agricultural/residential and both zoned parcels being located on the northerly side of Rocky Hill Road; thence proceeding in an easterly direction on the northerly side of Rocky Hill Road 850 feet (more or less), to a point and to the intersection of Rocky Hill Road and East Street this being the southeasterly corner to the parcel to be rezoned; thence proceeding in a northerly direction 300 feet along land n/f of Mary and Michael Gnatek to a point and to other land n/f of Mary and Michael Gnatek this point being the north-easterly corner of the parcel to be rezoned; thence proceeding in a northwesterly direction 850 feet (more or less) along other land n/f of Mary and Michael Gnatek to a point and to the parcel currently existing as business zoned; this being the northwesterly corner of the parcel to be rezoned; thence following this division line to Rocky Hill Road at an angle to a point and to the place beginning.

The above described parcel being currently zoned agricultural/residential and being located on the northerly side of Rocky Hill Road in Hadley, Massachusetts as shown on the current zoning map of the Town of Hadley, Massachusetts, said map being dated December 11, 1978.

(Disapproved by the Attorney General December 28, 1987. The Planning Board hearing on Article 10 was held on October 28, 1987, one day prior to the town meeting held on October 29, 1987. The Planning Board unanimously voted to make no recommendation on

this Article. G.L. c. 40A, s 5 requires that if the town meeting vote is held within 21 days of the hearing, that there must be a report with recommendations from the Planning Board)

Motion was seconded by Frank Zalot.

Motion was then made and seconded to vote by paper ballot.

The motion to vote by paper ballot was passed by majority vote.

The vote by paper ballot was: Yes, 179; No, 90.

Moderator, Kenneth A. Parker, cast one (1) vote: Yes. The final vote was: Yes, 180; No, 90.

The article passed with a 2/3 vote.

Article 11. Voted that the Town of accept Chapter 90, Section 20A of the Mass. General Laws entitled "Non-criminal Disposition of Charges for Violation of Motor Vehicle Parking Rules, Regulation, etc." Chapter 90, Section 20A of the Mass. General Laws, in summary, provides a mechanism whereby Town police may issue parking tickets, etc.

Article 12. Voted that the Town direct the Board of Sewer Commissioners to seek a method to reserve capacity in the present Sewer Treatment Plant for home owners and property owners of record, on streets in the Town of Hadley already accepted by town meeting vote, (or the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts) as of October 29, 1987.

Article 13. Defeated to transfer from Free Cash the sum of \$6,000 for the purchase and installation of a new telephone system for the Hadley Town Hall.

Article 14. Voted to transfer from Free Cash the sum of \$3000 for the Planning Board Account.

Article 15. Defeated to create the position of Town Planner under the joint supervision of the Planning Board and the Board of Selectmen and to transfer from Free Cash the sums of \$15,000 and \$3000 for the salary and expenses respectively for the position of Town Planner from Jan. 1, 1988 to June 30, 1988.

Article 16. Voted that the Town accept Chapter 40, Section 21D of the Massachusetts General Laws entitled "Non-criminal Disposition of Certain Violations." Chapter 40, Section 21D of the Mass. General Laws, in summary, provides a mechanism whereby a Town may use a non-criminal (i.e. "ticketing") process to enforce specific Town bylaws.

Article 17. Voted that the Town transfer from Free Cash the sum of \$9000.00 for the purchase and installation of a new furnace for the Town's highway garage.

Article 6. Voted to hear the interim report of the Hampshire County Charter Commission. The report was read by Philip S. Mokrzecki.

The town meeting was adjourned at 10:05 p.m. There were a total of 299 voters present out of 2590 eligible to vote.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REGISTRARS

The 1987 Town census showed a total of 4,211 residents. Of those, 2,705 were registered voters with 266 Republicans and 1,054 Democrats and 1,385 Unenrolled or Independent.

Irene Lankarge was appointed to the Board on July 7, 1987. Irene replaced Sarah Wanczyk who resigned on May 31, 1987. We would like to thank Sarah who served several years on the Board for her dedication and cooperation while a member of the Board.

The law now also required that an Assistant Registrar be available at high schools. We have appointed Linda Goulet as Assistant Registrar at Hopkins Academy.

This year saw the Board registering voters, certifying petitions and nomination papers for the April 14, 1987 annual town election, the May 7, 1987 annual town meeting and the October 29, 1987 special town meeting. In addition we were petitioned for a recount of the April 14, 1987 town election which was conducted on May 6, 1987. The recount revealed no significant changes in the results of the annual town election. (see Town Clerk's report)

We are required by law to conduct an annual town census. This is done every year by mail with follow up phone calls and/or visits to the residence by the registrars. We appreciate the cooperation we have received in the past from the residents and urge everyone to respond promptly to the census by mail forms. Failure to respond could affect your voting status.

Respectfully submitted,
Laura Niedzwiecki
Michelle Mokrzecki
Irene Lankarge
Joanna P. Devine, Clerk

REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and to the Citizens of the Town of Hadley.

I respectfully submit to you my Annual Report for the calendar year 1987.

CASH BOOK BALANCE

December 31, 1986 Balance	1,718,129.68
Receipts for Calendar Year 1987	7,160,182.86
Payments for Calendar Year 1987	<u>8,064,114.91</u>
December 31, 1987 Balance	<u>814,197.63</u>

ACCOUNT BALANCES AS OF DECEMBER 1987

Chapter 811 Highway Fund	67,663.53
General Cash	517,220.78
Chapter 811 (3N) Barrus Road Reconstruction Fund	117,043.10
Sewer Plant Rehabilitation Fund	<u>112,270.22</u>
Total Account Balances as of December 31, 1987	<u>814,197.63</u>
Investments of General Cash	150,000.00
Total Account Balances	<u>814,197.63</u>
Total in Town Treasury as of December 31, 1987	<u>964,197.63</u>

Total Interest Earned on all Accounts for Calendar Year 1987

130,958.80

A special thanks to former Town Treasurer, Amelia Pekala, for the volunteer work she provided this office during our busy periods.

TOTAL FUNDED AND FIXED DEBT OUTSTANDING AS OF JUNE 30, 1987

NAME OF ISSUE	PRINCIPAL OUTSTANDING
1974 Sewer Loan	\$135,000.00
1975 Water Expansion Loan	250,000.00
1980 North Hadley Sewer Loan	185,495.00
1980 Stockbridge Road Sewer Loan	6,600.00
1987 Pierce Fire Truck Loan	134,963.00
1987 Municipal Purpose Loan	<u>282,500.00</u>
TOTAL OUTSTANDING DEBT AS OF JUNE 30, 1987	<u>\$994,558.00</u>

Respectfully submitted,
Paul J. Mokrzecki
Town Treasurer

REPORT OF THE TOWN COLLECTOR

To the Board of Selectmen and to the Citizens of the Town of Hadley:

I hereby submit to you my report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1978.

YEAR & TAX TYPE	BALANCE JUNE 30, 1986	COMMITMENTS	REFUNDS	ABATEMENTS & ADJUSTMENTS	WATER/SEWER LIENS & TAX TITLES	PAYMENTS TO TREASURER	JUNE 30, 1987 BALANCE
REAL ESTATE							
FY 1985	\$ 26,282.22			\$ 4,108.92		\$ 20,415.88	\$ 1,757.42
FY 1986	123,284.54			546.43	(435.00)	82,285.21	39,098.42
FY 1987						1,935,531.20	224,444.34
PERSONAL PROPERTY							0.00
FY 1980	19.46					19.46	0.00
FY 1981		101.07				101.07	0.00
FY 1982		112.34				112.34	0.00
FY 1983		21.68				21.68	0.00
FY 1984		103.20				103.20	0.00
FY 1985		784.96				332.03	0.00
FY 1986		3,106.78				55.61	321.59
							0.00

YEAR & TAX TYPE	BALANCE JUNE 30, 1986	COMMITMENTS	REFUNDS	ABATEMENTS & ADJUSTMENTS	WATER/SEWER LIENS & TAX TITLES	PAYMENTS TO TREASURER	JUNE 30, 1987 BALANCE
FY 1987 VEHICLE EXCISE FY 1987 & Prev.							
FY 1980	49,757.37	12.30			40,718.62	9,051.05	
FY 1981	84.70				84.70	0.00	
FY 1982					25.00	736.44	
FY 1983					7.50	773.87	
FY 1984					33.80	787.15	
FY 1985						0.00	
FY 1986						1,724.26	
FY 1987 FARM ANIMAL FY 1985	74	1,393.01		111.28	186.79	197.63	1,195.38
FY 1986	26,308.57	3,044.70				3,747.12	0.00
FY 1987 FARM ANIMAL FY 1985	74	57,685.02	2,138.09		5,179.68	72,542.70	1,834.27
FY 1986							8,409.30
FY 1987 WATER LIENS FY 1985	74	122,572.20				38,107.50	0.00
FY 1986							90,000.00
FY 1987 WATER LIENS FY 1985	74	90.00					0.00
FY 1986						42.50	90,000.00
FY 1987 WATER LIENS FY 1985	74	7,012.75					3,003.75
FY 1986							0.00
FY 1987 WATER LIENS FY 1985	74	6,356.80					94.00

FY 1986	1,057.35		275.00		258.35		524.00
FY 1987		644.20			255.00		0.00
SEWER LIENS							389.20
FY 1985	60.34						0.00
FY 1986							60.34
FY 1986	549.00		160.00				0.00
FY 1987		94.00					188.00
WATER USAGE	11,818.04	255,216.83	1,419.29	1,753.31	644.20	212,547.62	53,509.03
SEWER USAGE	3,927.58	91,364.94	980.61	1,293.89	94.00	75,880.06	19,005.18
CONVEYANCE TAX							0.00
ROLL BACK TAXES	25.46					5,700.00	0.00
IN LIEU OF TAX	1,319.21					25.46	0.00
TOTALS	\$214,670.58	\$2,763,927.30	\$56,513.45	\$80,894.83	\$3,620.54	\$2,503,930.39	\$446,665.57

Interest collected on delinquent taxes - \$12,050.07

Respectfully submitted,
 Paul J. Mokrzewski
 Town Collector

REPORT OF TRUST & INVESTMENT FUNDS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and to the Citizens of the Town of Hadley:

I hereby submit my report as custodian of Trust and Investment Funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1987.

NAME OF ACCOUNT	6/30/86 BALANCE	DEPOSITS	WITHDRAWALS	EARNED INTEREST	6/30/87 BALANCE
Cemetery Trust Funds					
Harry Gaylord Flower Fund	893.89		25.00	54.22	923.11
Isabel W. Boyd Trust Fund	1,348.31			83.50	1,431.81
Sale of Cemetery Lots	7,657.11			140.17	0.00
North Hadley Cemetery Fund	1,274.25			82.37	1,356.62
Old Hadley Cemetery					
Perpetual Care Fund	44,164.66			2,909.54	47,074.20
Russellville Cemetery Fund	8,216.28			501.89	8,718.17
Plainville Cemetery Fund	16,618.94	100.00		1,104.53	17,823.47
Hockanum Cemetery Fund	5,382.00	100.00		361.09	5,843.09
Library Trust Funds					
Anna K. Ryan Library Fund	6,846.77			442.52	7,289.29
Ellen S. Bullfinch Fund	1,507.38			97.44	1,604.82
Sarah Loomis Library Fund	7,099.25			446.38	6,545.63
Other Trust Funds					
Employment Security Account	77,296.20			3,747.69	80,043.89
George Edwards Trust Fund	83,851.12			6,000.00	89,851.12
Stabilization Fund	93,6342.88	<u>15,3744.00</u>	<u>38,200.00</u>		<u>13,610.29</u>
TOTALS	355,789.04	<u>153,944.00</u>	<u>56,769.87</u>		<u>30,380.82</u>
					<u>483,343.90</u>

Respectfully submitted,

Paul J. Mokrzewski, Town Treasurer

**TOWN OF HADLEY - TOTAL RECEIPTS
FISCAL YEAR 1987**

Real Estate Taxes	2,038,257.75
Personal Property Taxes	44,062.50
Motor Vehicle Excise	114,754.20
Farm Animal Tax	10,233.30
Tax Title	8,133.21
Tax Title Interest	767.69
Fees on Tax Title	20.00
Conveyance Tax	5,700.00
Credit of Conveyance	6.00
Elderly Abatements	8,808.80
Lieu of Taxes	264,170.21
Aquifer Protection Grant	29,144.05
State Aid to Libraries	3,222.50
Chemical Sewer	431.00
Veterans' Benefits	2,547.69
Chapter 750 - School	6,668.04
Room Occupancy Tax	32,698.00
School Transportation Chapter 71	49,713.00
Tuition - Non-Resident	4,966.50
Additional Assistance	181,670.00
Additional Aid to Libraries	1,196.00
Chapter 71B	8,393.00
Historical Survey Grant #2	5,000.00
Chapter 497 Highway	29,609.00
Chapter 825 Highway	37,998.00
Chapter 811 Highway	52,497.00
Chapter 90 Highway	123,947.39
Chapter 70 School	278,325.00
Chapter 97/35 School	12,414.00
Chapter II 97/35	1,851.00
School Construction	1,459.20
Chapter 89/313	1,419.00
P.L. 94/142	13,807.00
Early Childhood Grant	9,706.52
Horace Mann - School	5,076.00
Licenses	18,682.50
Permits	6,950.00
Electrical Permits	4,170.00
Building Permits	30,123.70
Lottery	75,365.00
Plumbing and Gas Permits	2,885.00
Alcohol Permits	31,348.37

Filing Fees	620.00
61A - Fees	234.00
Cruiser Use	1,222.00
Gun Permits	430.00
Municipal Lien Certificates	2,265.00
Collector's Fees	2,578.00
Reimbursement Jury Duty	80.50
Town Clerk	2,804.75
Court Fines	54,255.00
PVTA - 5 College	122,219.00
Dog Licenses	1,225.00
County Dog Fund	480.86
Dog Care & Kill	384.00
Tailings	387.53
Zoning By Laws	330.00
Street Lists and Maps	385.00
Board of Appeals Adv.	630.00
Walking Tours	156.00
Perc Test Fees - Board of Health	1,700.00
Site Plan Review Applic.	492.54
Nurse's Fees	127.00
Damage to Town Property	23.00
Board of Health Equipment	109.00
Sewer Usage Fees	75,796.36
Sewer Entrance Fees	6,250.00
Sewer Liens	201.00
Water Usage Fees	212,631.32
Water Entrance Fees	2,720.00
Water Liens	974.75
Water Hook-up, off and on	4,702.13
Park Department	14,108.41
Insurance Reports	1,766.00
F.I.D. Cards	68.00
Chapter 773	20,283.85
PVTA Van Grant	5,540.00
C.O.A. - #1/86	3,455.00
C.O.A. - #2/86	1,701.00
C.O.A. - #3/86	700.00
Town Census	1,083.68
School Lunch	
Federal	14,980.60
Town	49,744.09
Athletics	4,403.44
Band	510.00

Hooker School Improvement	1,850.00
Russell School Improvement	770.00
Hopkins Academyu Improvement	2,480.00
Chapter 188	32,390.00
Arts Lottery	1,374.00
Rentals	1,045.00
Conservation Adv.	50.00
Federal Withholding	266,014.10
State Withholding	99,212.82
Retirement	42,400.64
Blue Cross	90,529.84
Valley Health	11,848.60
Deferred Compensation	8,148.00
Credit Union	16,852.00
Group Insurance	1,333.72
Union Dues - Highway	900.00
Police Department Dues	672.00
Teachers	148,752.98
FICA	3,649.78
Interest on Taxes	12,050.07
Interest on Deposists	106,569.04
Library Trust Income	1,000.00
Stabilization	38,200.00
North Hadley Cemetary Interest	300.00
Sale of Cemetery Lots	8,900.05
Perpetual Care - Cemetery	300.00
Harry Garylord Trust Company	25.00
Asbestos Removal School	1,683.72
Chapter 645 Handicapped	2,236.94
Loan Proceeds (Fire)	134,963.00
Insurance Recoveries	4,649.06
Refunds	4,991.56
Investments	667,304.86
Copy Charges	92.83
Lost Books	21.55
Chapter 70 - Section 71E	1,765.00
Employment Sec. Trust	3,747.69
Election and Registration	341.64
Sale of Town Property	825.25
Cable T.V. Application	100.00
Miscellaneous	3,268.41
TOTAL GENERAL RECEIPTS	5,897.134.58
 REVENUE SHARING FUND	
Entitlement	16,795.00

Interest	1,854.50	
TOTAL REVENUE SHARING FUND		19,649.50
Capacity Building Grant	10,000.00	10,000.00
SEWER REHABILITATION PROJECT		
Temporary Loan	1,600,000.00	
State Grants	715,419.00	
Federal Grants	143,600.00	
TOTAL SPECIAL PROJECT		2,459.019.00

EXPENDITURE BY DEPARTMENT
July 1, 1986 - June 30, 1987

GENERAL FUND

Moderator	100.00	100.00
Selectmen		
Salary	3,792.69	
Expenses	5,603.92	9,396.61
Town Accountant		
Salary	12,996.96	
Expenses	6,774.31	19,771.27
Treasurer		
Salary	20,392.44	
Expenses	7,744.48	28,136.92
Town Collector		
Salary	22,908.20	
Expenses	4,321.31	27,229.51
Town Clerk		
Salary	12,865.84	
Expenses	1,829.60	14,695.44
Assessors		
Salaries	21,422.51	
Expenses	4,645.72	26,068.23
Election and Registration		
Salaries	1,830.00	
Expenses	9,338.57	11,168.57
License Board	13.25	13.25
Finance Committee	475.00	475.00
Law	4,460.17	4,460.17
Administrative Assistant	1,182.37	1,182.37
Planner	727.00	727.00
Planning Board		
Salary	1,700.00	
Expenses	918.81	2,618.81

Zoning Board of Appeals		
Salary	1,214.00	
Expenses	258.49	1,472.49
Secretary	12,528.88	12,258.88
Town Hall		
Janitor	3,371.07	
Expenses	16,242.67	19,613.74
No. Hadley Hall		
Janitor	4,108.75	
Expenses	4,986.83	9,095.58
Computer	10,210.26	10,210.26
TOTAL	198,964.10	198,964.10
PUBLIC SAFETY		
Dispatchers	51,362.30	51,362.30
Communications Center	3,498.24	3,498.24
Police Department		
Salaries	71,359.96	
Expenses	24,511.15	95,871.11
Police Cruiser	13,500.00	13,500.00
Unpaid Bills	201.02	201.02
Chapter 41	1,181.37	1,181.37
Fire Department		
Salaries	16,770.05	
Expenses	28,328.69	45,098.74
Fire Truck	134,963.00	134,963.00
Building Inspector		
Salary	7,099.96	
Expenses	772.56	7,872.52
Electrical Inspector		
Salary	1,800.00	1,800.00
Expenses		
Plumbing Inspector		
Salary	1,550.00	
Expenses	49.98	1,599.98
Forestry		
Wages	6,216.76	
Expenses	7,769.08	13,985.84
Dutch Elm	2,491.06	2,491.06
Dikes	4,945.45	4,945.45
Civilian Defense	301.52	301.52
Insect Extermination	93.00	93.00
Fire Engine Repairs	23,200.00	23,200.00
TOTAL	401,965.15	401,965.15

Board of Health		
Salaries	11,273.80	
Expenses	2,031.52	13,305.32
Dump		
Expenses	1,381.75	1,381.75
Engineering Study	8,388.25	8,388.25
TOTAL	12,075.32	23,075.32
GENERAL HIGHWAY		
Street Lights	12,963.71	12,963.71
General Highway		
Wages	55,756.66	
Expenses	44,947.75	100,704.41
Road Machinery		
Wages	24,411.71	
Expenses	48,303.47	72,715.18
Chapter 497		
Salaries	15,449.39	
Expenses	16,513.89	31,963.28
Sidewalks		
Wages	2,572.21	
Expenses	2,057.41	4,629.62
Bridges		
Salaries	2,681.35	
Expenses	1,077.43	3,758.78
Ditches		
Salaries	2,530.13	
Expenses	500.01	3,030.14
TOTAL	229,765.12	229,765.12
SCHOOLS AND LIBRARY		
School		
Salaries	1,380,084.06	
Expenses	539,386.57	1,919,470.63
Athletic Department	50,309.19	50,309.19
Band	4,650.00	4,650.00
School Bus	24,446.05	24,446.05
School Van		
Fire Alarms		
Fire Alarms STM 9/83		
Paint Old Gymn		
Repair Roofs	5,700.00	5,700.00
Library		
Salaries	15,282.41	
Expenses	14,245.20	29,527.61

Paint Library	2,500.00	2,500.00
TOTAL	2,036,603.48	2,036,603.48
MISCELLANEOUS		
Park Department		
Salaries	1,563.11	
Expenses	22,217.47	23,780.58
Chapter 70 Sec. 71-E		
Park Department Fence		
Council on Aging		
Salaries	6,288.00	
Expenses 2,607.77		8,895.77
Council on Aging Van		
PVTA	5,236.70	5,236.70
Van	508.46	508.46
HVES Grant 1/86	203.18	203.18
2/86	391.78	391.79
Blue Cross	74,514.44	74,514.44
Insurance	840.16	840.16
Retirement	67,789.00	67,789.00
Conservation Commission	122.00	122.00
Historical Commission	22.61	22.61
Town Reports	4,300	4,300.00
Veterans' Quarters	900.00	900.00
L.P.V.C.	618.75	618.75
Widows of Veterans' Pension	2,032.49	2,032.49
Veterans' Benefits	1,282.18	1,282.18
Auditor	1,1450.00	1,1450.00
Dog Care - Town	224.00	224.00
Workmen's Compensation	18,658.00	18,658.00
Additional Legal	2,185.28	2,185.28
Ambulance	2,2198.17	2,2198.17
Elector Oliver Smith Will	100.00	100.00
Insurance	94,615.00	94,615.00
Stabilization	153,744.00	153,744.00
County Tax	177,095.61	177,095.61
Arts Lottery Grant	980.00	980.00
PVTA	141,982.00	141,982.00
LPVAPCD	979.00	979.00
M.V. Bills	663.00	663.00
Cemetery		
Wages	7,398.16	
Expenses	298.60	7,687.76
TOTAL	501,760.31	

PRIOR YEARS - GENERAL FUND

Accountant	27.46	27.46
Revaluation	28,643.125	28,643.15
Fire Engine Repair	15,000.00	15,000.00
Forestry	4,535.35	4,535.35
Bridge Inspection	1,800.00	1,800.00
Dump	2,399.00	2,399.00
School	332,433.09	32,433.09
	11,309.51	11,309.51
Chapter 90 32046	33,655.00	33,655.00
30616	16,482.94	16,482.94
32316	20,734.33	20,873.43
31030	2,707.69	2,707.69
30171	3,676.10	3,676.10
32838	17,492.03	17,492.03
COA Grant #11	672.28	672.28
Conservation Comm.	134.95	134.95
Historical Comm.	2,347.34	2,347.34
Judds History	200.00	200.00
Workmen's Compensation Audit	250.00	250.00
Widow's Pension	2,032.49	2,032.49
Additional Legal	500.00	500.00
Ambulance	5,408.21	5,408.21
TOTAL	202,580.02	202,580.02

REVENUE SHARING FUND

Police Department

Salaries	45,670.26
Expenses	8,842.90

SPECIAL REVENUE FUND

Conservation Comm. Adv.	16.60
Board of Appeals Adv.	377.20
61A Recording	255.00
No. Hadley Cemetery-Int.	83.70
Cemetery-Perpetual Care	200.00
Sale of Lots	500.00
Unemployment Compensation	3747.69
P.L. 89/3;3	1,500.00
P.L. 94/142	12,822.55
Chapter I 97/35	11,834.05
Chapter II 97/35	1,851.00
School Lunch	73,983.08
Band Revolving	13.69
Athletic Revolving	3,173.48

Board of Health Revolving	48.00
Chapter 773	20,278.81
Sale of Timber	405.00
Chapter 637	75,480.97
Chapter 811	22,936.90
Mass. Historical	1,400.00
P.L. 94/142 Computer	1,182.54
Chapter 750	6,668.04
Hooker Improvement Const.	1,948.43
Russell Improvement Const.	784.39
Hopkins Academy Improvement	2,054.35
Professional Div.	30,494.00
\$18,000 Minimum Salary	13,942.00
Early Childhood	6,271.15
Horace Mann	5,076.00
Chapter 70 Sec. 71E	2,134.90
Board of Health Title V	295.00
Census	147.06
C.O.A. Gifts	352.00
Hydrants and Supplies	7,574.07
TOTAL	309,831.65

AGENCY FUNDS

Federal Withholding	266,755.29
State Withholding	99,451.17
Hampshire County Retirement	a42,400.64
Valley Health	12,225.89
Blue Cross	85,468.51
Group Insurance	1,162.21
Annuities	65,957.54
H.E.A. Dues	11,923.57
Teachers Retirement	71,372.71
Credit Union	16,852.00
Deferred Compensation	7,692.00
Union Dues	1,656.00
FICA	3,720.19
Dog Care and Kill	387.00
Dog Licenses	1,225.00
Town Clerk Fees	2,717.00
Town Collectors Fees	4,867.00
Insurance Recovery	1,809.56
Court Restitution	50.00
P.P. Refunds	67.91
R.E. Refunds	60,800.16
	697,703.28

M.V. Refunds	2,269.04	63,137.11
Investments	517,820.94	517,820.94
Tailings	61.42	61.42
Sewer Rehabilitation Project	1,682,464.09	
Capacity Building Grant	10,033.82	
DEBT AND INTEREST FUND		
Interest	10,642.06	10,642.06
ENTERPRISE FUND		
Water Department		
Salaries	9,212.44	
Expenses	22,551.52	31,763.96
Water Power	37,583.94	37,583.94
Sewer Commissioners		
Salary	2,300.00	2,300.00
Sewer Maintenance		
Salaries	27,394.01	
Expenses	40,480.71	67,874.72
Fire Hydrants	30,000.00	30,000.00
Water Loans	63,000.00	63,000.00
Water Loans - Interest	15,650.00	15,650.00
Sewer Loans	25,265.00	25,265.00
Sewer Loans - Interest	17,618.00	17,618.00
Sewer Usage Fee Fund	949.41	949.41
Water Usage Fee Refund	1,967.11	1,967.11
Inspection of Water Tanks	1,400.00	1,400.00
TOTAL	295,372.14	295,372.14

**TOWN OF HADLEY
BALANCE SHEET - JUNE 30, 1987**

ASSETS		
Cash		
General Fund	1,282,860.67	
Revenue Sharing	100.58	
Sewer Plant Rehabilitation	78,717.12	2,066,678.37
Investments		
General Fund	250,000.00	250,000.00
Accounts Receivable		
Personal Property		
1987	9,051.05	
1986	321.59	
1985	307.60	9,680.24
Real Estate		
1987	235,350.82	

1986	39,098.42	
1985	1,757.42	272,206.66
Motor Vehicle		
1987	81,125.82	
1986	8,409.30	
1985	1,834.27	
1984	1,195.38	
1983	787.15	
1982	773.87	
1981	736.44	
1980	29.15	94,891.38
Farm Animal		
1987	3,003.75	
1986	90.00	
1985	90.00	3,183.75
Special Assessments A/R		
Sewer Usage Fees	19,005.18	
Sewer Leins		
1987	94.00	
1986	188.00	
1985	60.34	19,347.52
Water Usage Fees	53,654.24	
Water Leins		
1987	389.20	
1986	524.00	
1985	94.00	54,661.44
Tax Titles	1,936.51	12,936.58
Departmental Revenue A/R		
Veterans Benefits	3,746.57	3,746.57
State Grants A/R		
Highway	54,001.73	
Sewer Rehabilitation	660,256.00	
Aquifer Protection	1,937.40	716,195.13
Federal Aid A/R		
Sewer Rehabilitation	1,556,839.00	1,556,839.00
Loans Authorized	3,835,523.03	3,835,523.03
Bond Issue	708.48	708.48
Due From		
Dog Care & Kill	3.00	
Stabilization Fund	800.00	803.00
TOTAL ASSETS	8,890,401.15	8,890,401.15
LIABILITIES & RESERVES		
Warrants Payable		
General Fund	110,733.66	

Sewer Rehabilitation	234.00	110,967.66
Overlay Reserved for Abatements		
Overlay		
1987	44,381.44	
1986	46,221.08	
1985	2,065.02	92,667.54
Overlay Reserve Fund	50,213.48	50,213.48
State & County Assessments		
County Tax	.39	
PVTA	(8,885.00)	(8,884.61)
Payroll Deductions		
Federal tax	(2,811.06)	
State Tax	(1,360.30)	
Union Dues-Police	(144.00)	
FICA	(70.49)	
Hampshire County Retirement	272.43	
Valley Health	116.47	
Blue Cross	6,05.49	
Grouup Insurance	178.84	
Teachers Annuities	1,726.80	
Teachers Retirement	.23	
Deferred Compensation	477.00	
Union Dues-Highway	60.00	4,541.41
Loans Authorized & Unissued	3,808,161.03	3,808,161.03
Temporary Loans		
Anticipation of Bond Issue	27,362.00	
Anticipation of Fed. Grants	1,600,000.00	1,627,362.00
Revenue Reserved Until Collected		
Motor Vehicle	94,891.38	
Farm Animal	3,183.75	
Sewer Usage	19,347.52	
Water Usage	54,551.44	
Departmental	3,746.57	
State Aid Highways	54,001.73	
Tax Titles	1,936.58	
Aquifer Grant	1,937.40	
Sewer Rehab. Grants	1,476,114.00	1,709,820.37
Receipts Reserved for Appropriation		
Revenue Sharing	100.58	
Sewer Fees	164,199.53	
Water Surplus	41,530.63	
State Aid to Libraries	5,284.70	
PVTA Gift Account	11,034.40	
County Dog Fund	480.86	
Road Machinery Earnings	1,707.65	
Sale of Timber	994.10	225,332.45

Revolving Funds		
School Lunch	(608.72)	
Athletics	2,402.11	
Band	596.55	
Chapter 733	(284.69)	
Board of Health Title V	405.00	
Board of Health Equipment	165.00	
C.O.A. Gift	1,691.16	
Rental of Buildings	95.00	
61-A Recording Fees	69.00	
Chpt. 70 Sec. 71E	3,205.93	7,736.34
State & Federal Grants		
Right To Know	561.00	
Highway Chpt. 637	1,247.82	
Highway Chpt. 811	86,0245.74	
P.L. 89/142	984.45	
P.L. 97/35 Chapter I	579.95	
P.L. 874	16,163.24	
Early Childhood Grant	3,435.37	
Census	1,083.68	
Arts Lottery	544.13	
Chapter 188	425.65	111,050.03
Trust Fund Income		
Cemetery	8,744.25	
Library	610.36	9,354.61
Special Revenues		
Board of Appeals Adv.	200.00	
Conservation Comm. Adv.	100.00	
Town Clerks Fees	27.75	
Town Collectors Fees	442.00	
Court Restitution	66.91	
Hydrant Account	617.34	1,454.00
Appropriation Balances		
General Funds	121,082.25	
Sewer Projects	(75,535.88)	45,546.37
Surplus Revenue	<u>1,095,078.47</u>	<u>1,095,078.47</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & RESERVES	8,890,401.15	8,890,401.15

Respectfully Submitted,
Mary G. Fitzgibbon
Town Accountant
Hadley, Mass. 01035

*Note to Balance Sheet —

Annual Town Meeting Votes not reflected in this Balance Sheet:

1. Overlay Reserve Fund to Reserved Fund 20,000.00

2. Sewer Rec. Res. for Appropriations	175,479.00
3. Water Surplus	162,573.00
4. From Surplus to Stabilization	380,000.00

INDIVIDUAL SALARY LISTINGS TOWN OF HADLEY

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and to the Citizens of the Town of Hadley:

In accordance with Article 32 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1987, I hereby submit my annual listing of compensation paid to Town Employees.

Total wages paid in calendar year 1987 amounts to \$2,106,792.68. The total number of employees paid was 317.

Respectfully submitted,

Paul J. Mokrzecki
Town Treasurer

EMP. NAME	YTD. GROSS
Samuel E. Abrams	120.00
John H. Allen	1,218.27
Claire N. Aniello	291.20
Susan H. Anzalotti	8,739.02
Gerald Azzinaro	1,815.00
Raymond E. Babb	103.68
Catherine J. Niedziela	18,198.88
Henry Baj	4,905.30
James Baj	1,862.29
Rose M. Baj	28,249.89
Mark J. Baldwin	1,665.00
Margaret M. Banack	30.00
John S. Banash	180.00
Dawn D. Barkman	7,257.98
David J. Barnett	801.00
Kenneth A. Barrett	1,751.50
Teresa L. Barstow	2,932.28
Lucille R. Bauver	655.50
Laura J. Bauman	70.32
Lillian E. Baxter	315.00
Richard Chmura	175.00
Susan J. Begos	573.75
Florence Davidson	15,994.72
Irene A. Bemben	7,263.08

Ronald F. Berestka	24,787.30
Gary Berg	609.15
Richard A. Berger	28,873.96
Louise Bieg	1,559.00
Alexander J. Bielunis	1,625.03
David Bielunis	4,424.14
Frank Blajda	36.00
David S. Bond	13,093.90
Kathleen M. Boyden	23,107.54
Charles H. Bray	3,234.41
Joy Brennan	15,492.57
Michael G. Brennan	583.35
Michael G. Brennan, Jr.	132.00
Paula Banach	1,070.00
Eleanor Burak	4,343.40
Rebecca Burrill	60.00
Patricia M. Bye	1,749.28
Carrie Byron	292.50
Mary Louise Byron	15,884.56
Andrew P. Bzdel, Jr.	78.75
Roxanne P. Campbell	2,005.00
Linda K. Carpenter	3,642.86
Sally J. Cary	3,191.73
Victor Cendrowski	337.50
Diane C. Chapman	29,436.15
Mary Beth Chevalier	137.60
June Christopoulos	8,951.90
John Chudzik	3,563.54
Mryon John Chudzik	1,656.00
H. Annie Chrzanowski	30.00
Noreen D. Ciaglo	1,789.28
Paul J. Ciaglo	3,891.00
Martha Del Clark	430.00
Robert J. Consavage	457.06
Sandra Lee Costello	30.00
John J. Crescitelli	30.00
Nancy C. Curran	26,377.63
Mary Lou Cutter	27,107.55
Timothy Dambkowski	30.00
Marilyn Gail Dambkowski	11,857.07
Wilfred P. Danylieko	200.00
Kenneth B. Davidson, Jr.	280.00
Peter Demello	1,769.00

Joanna P. Devine	18,780.72
Edward G. Nowak	70.00
John E. Devine, Jr.	425.00
Susan Diener	150.00
Margaret E. Dion	7,733.00
Laurie Louise Dole	18,010.00
Abigail M. Dolinger	120.00
Caroline A. Dube	7,456.00
Donna Marie Duda	1,686.89
Francis G. Duda	1,634.55
Edward Dudkiwicz	987.00
Eleanor Dresser Duram	715.50
William E. Dwyer, Jr.	162.50
Mary-Lelia Earle	24,640.15
Norma S. Evans	280.00
David G. Farnam	90.00
Jonathan A. Fetler	3,665.70
David J. Fill	38.50
Michael Scott Finch	983.00
Anne M. Finck	32,314.94
Lois S. Finnegan	1,630.84
Mary Fitzgibbon	12,016.24
Robert H. Fleming	1,090.00
Judy Lee Fontaine	10,329.38
Edward W. Forman	24,764.19
Terry Ann Fournier	4,236.26
Gregory Franceschi	300.00
Margaret Freeman	11,641.80
Matthew Freeman	850.50
Elizabeth A. Fydenkevez	27,725.89
Joseph Fydenkevez, Sr.	312.00
Richard Fydenkevez	425.00
Andrew Giza	27,184.16
Robina L. Glascz	762.50
Edward F. Gnatek	162.50
Karen T. Goddeau-Girard	6,412.71
Dawn Gordon	35.00
Ralph J. Gould, Jr.	14,155.27
Linda M. Goulet	8,905.52
Michael R. Grabiec III	1,138.70
Richard S. Grader	9,641.69
Paula C. Gueguen	35.00
Linda Guerrera	175.00
Candice R. Gunn	6,153.38

Mary Gurecki	344.00
Charles J. Hangs, Jr.	19,347.81
Sharon R. Harper	375.00
Olive L. Hilton	2,682.80
Diane Mae Hirtle	6,541.09
Donald Hooten	280.00
Dennis Hokowicz	25,845.87
Kathleen K. Hurley	26,666.94
John F. Irminger	30.00
Marianne Jakus	280.00
Leona S. Jekanowski	29,639.63
Carolyn E. Johnson	25,714.75
Mary P. Joyce	23,545.54
Alex T. Kaciak	15,683.32
Helen Kapinos	150.00
David B. Katz	135.00
Janice B. Keedy	35.00
Dorothy T. Kelleher	70.00
Carol M. Kent	9,859.88
James E. Kicza	1,176.00
Justina Kielec	799.10
Elaine Goodhind	1,769.00
Deena Karen Kjeldsen	330.00
Louis Klimoski	1,323.00
Michael Klimoski	22,328.00
Laura V. Kochanek	7,392.73
Marilyn Koehler	150.00
Henry Kokoski	14.70
Edward C. Koehler	3,752.88
John Kokoski	360.00
Kris A. Korza	1,231.88
Leon Kostek	17,708.58
Stanley Kostek	42.00
Anna S. Kowal	21.30
Dorothy E. Kowal	2,334.58
Walter J. Kroll	798.00
David J. Kubicz	210.00
Chester Kulikowski	325.00
Ronald E. Laclair	1,100.00
Raymond LaFlamme	337.50
Irene M. Lankarge	188.00
Judith E. Laprade	27,492.55
Janet C. Lawler	4,221.75
Helen Lesko	4,411.50
John Lesko	2,910.50

Stanley Lesko	1,892.55
Robert Mackay	2,210.00
Joseph A. Madenski	26,132.75
David G. Madsen, Jr.	5,367.50
Michele M. Mahan	1,572.00
Michael Majewski, Jr.	23,779.08
James J. Maksimoski	362.50
Cheryl A. Marraia	210.00
Michaline B. Martin	2,604.00
Bernard Martula	5,000.00
Edward Martula	19,215.38
Kathleen W. Masalski	27,840.30
Jacob G. Matusek	17,791.86
Mary R. Mazzei	6,605.00
Thomas R. McDonald	35.00
Laura C. McLain	1,197.00
James McNally	1,559.00
James Mezynski	240.00
Judy L. Middleton	8,178.08
Constance Mieczkowski	10,316.52
John Mieczkowski	530.47
Alice S. Misa	6,792.00
John Mish, Jr.	362.50
Marilyn Mish	11,632.66
Alexander Mokrzecki	500.00
Michelle Mokrzecki	750.00
Paul J. Mokrzecki	23,571.96
Philip Mokrzecki	1,100.00
Maria E. Montleon	6,927.16
George F. Moriarty	828.00
John Moriarty	100.00
Sally A. Mowduk	12,040.85
Thomas Mullane	90.00
Steven R. Muraski	1,190.00
Sophie Murawski	3,214.61
William Murphy	279.79
Diane Murray	12,623.18
Francis Mushenski	602.00
Stephen Mushenski	3,647.59
Michael K. Neilon	50.00
Eleanor A. Niedbala	26,377.64
H. William Niedbala	5,794.45
Marilyn P. Niedbala	144.93
Richard Niedbala	2,814.90

William Jay-Niedbala	9,063.92
Stanley M. Niedziela	2,932.28
Laura C. Niedzwiecki	750.00
Teddy Nikonczyk	18,378.42
Timothy O'Hara	396.00
Daniel Omasta	2,372.76
Gregory Omasta	250.00
Margaret Ann O'Neil	192.50
Michael R. Orsini	385.00
Sergio Orsini	6,051.51
Joseph J. Osip, Jr.	300.00
Patrick L. Osip	6,978.08
Dawn Otell-Morin	10,285.68
Rae A. Paddock	3,739.78
Kenneth A. Parker	100.00
Phyllis Parsons	175.00
Carla Jo Peabody	807.75
Carlton E. Peabody	28,942.05
Judith E. Pelis	26,197.49
Catherine B. Perkins	27,216.55
Frederick Rowe	46.09
Elizabeth Phillips	19,346.71
Dennis Pipczynski	29,889.26
Donald Pipczynski	13,499.63
Walter Piziak	8,663.28
Frances j. Pleppo	7,026.00
Christine K. Plette	27,193.27
John Pliska	525.00
Antoinette D. Poli	24,651.09
Miriam Pratt	698.45
A. Edwin Putnam	125.00
Jeffrey J. Quinlan	120.00
Shirley G. Robertson	3,821.83
Donald R. Robinson, Jr.	645.52
Helen S. Rodak	821.58
Diane Duffie Andersen	28,450.44
Frank H. Rogala	2,685.67
John S. Rogala	564.74
Paula M. Rosenfeld	30.00
James R. Russell	1,388.40
Susan S. Russell	13,024.10
Denise M. Madenski	26,908.55
Adolph Sadlowski	16,412.30
Stanley P. Sadlowski	18,592.12

Peter Salvatore	1,475.00
Siv Kristine Sandberg	5,741.98
Martin J. Sanderson	1,992.00
Agnes Scanlon	270.00
Janice Ann Schlegel	4,717.72
Mary L. Schmith	12,844.50
Donald M. Schneier	30.00
Karen E. Sears	3,186.01
Janet S. Selavka	34,798.00
Jeffrey M. Sendek	586.55
Kathryn Seward	27,141.49
Mary Ellen Schughan	7,285.72
Brian J. Sheehy	24,804.83
Gabriel Siglag	665.00
June M. Stasack	22,758.69
Michael Sliz	16,292.47
Charles W. Smiarowski	14,084.87
Katherine M. Smith	3,982.92
Marie Sobasko	12,077.52
Ann Soldega	12,161.17
Phillip H. Sousa	25,845.25
Rosemary A. Stella	945.00
Jeanne M. Stolarski	96.50
Marjorie Strauss	17,999.97
Richard K. Sullivan	44,976.37
Raymond Szala	2,339.80
Alfred Szarkowski	1,543.44
Frank J. Szelewski, Jr.	660.30
Edward F. Talenda	27,705.05
Margaret Taylor	9,969.21
May M. Thayer	2,463.47
Jennifer Todd	70.00
Dale Toreey	4,607.43
Joan W. Tourigny	500.87
Karl G. Tratuman	300.00
William J. Trueswell	7,504.46
Elaine M. Tudry	24,773.15
Paul A. Tuttle	962.11
Dorothy Urch	26,972.55
Teresa Vaccaro	4,251.35
Harry L. Vandalowski	1,737.69
Jeffrey A. Vickowski	13,881.53
Michael E. Wagg	105.00
Howard J. Wailgum, Jr.	28,592.85
Edward J. Walczak	4,750.87

Patricia J. Walsh	30.00
Joseph S. Wanczyk	7.10
Marianne T. Wanczyk	383.30
Sarah M. Wanczyk	470.00
Bernett Waskiewicz	5,490.69
Elsie Waskiewicz	292.35
Ignace S. Waskiewicz	9,895.77
Joanne Waskiewicz	316.66
John C. Waskiewicz II	19,349.62
Richard J. Waskiewicz	675.00
Robert John Waskiewicz	7,972.92
Robert M. Waskiewicz	132.00
Phyllis M. Welch	26,778.55
Maureen C. West	1,372.00
Barbara V. Wilga	4,439.70
Audrey R. Wilga	698.05
Joseph J. Wilga, Jr.	1,642.12
Richard V. Wilga	450.00
Max A. Wojtowicz	125.00
Paula F. Wojtowicz	525.00
Alexander Yezierski	722.00
Jerome R. Yezierski	2,734.20
Joseph Yukl	170.85
Joseph T. Yusko, Sr.	406.00
Frank Zalot, Jr.	6,458.31
Joan M. Zaskey	2,829.31
Joseph Zgrodnik	362.50
Marion Zuchowski	14,238.02
Laurel Moore	900.26

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens of the Town of Hadley:

Fiscal Year 1988 tax rate was approved December 23, 1987 by the Department of Revenue Tac Bureau Division of Local Services. A recertification and revaluation will be required for Fiscal year 1990. Plans for this full revaluation are underway. Real estate sales have shown an increase, adding futher to the workload. Automobile excise tax billings have also increased in number, as well as the number of requests for abatements. An article has been submitted to the warrant, by the Board, for a full-time assistant assessor. This assistant assessor would enable the Board to factor the property values each year to 100% of market value, instead of noting a large increase every three years.

A computer, printing, and software has been purchased by the Town of Hadley for the Board of Assessors so that in-house billing can begin as soon as FY 89. The assessors are currently installing and writing software which will accomplish this task. The Board of Assessors shares clerical help with the Water and Sewer Department. It is because of this help that the office remains open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Assessors are available from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. weekdays, and Tuesday evenings from 7:30 pm. to 9:00 p.m.

The assessors have taken the required courses sponsored by the Department of Revenue. They are, now, both certified and qualified to classify property. Various workshops were also attended by the assessors and clerical staff.

A management review was performed by the Department of Revenue. A plan for the reorganization of the office was developed to make the office more accessible to the public. From the review, it was also noted that long term staffing issues need be addressed due to changes in the responsibilities and legal requirements of the assessing offices.

In closing our report, it is our intention to create an efficient assessing office for the citizens of Hadley.

TAX RATE RECAPITULATION OF HADLEY

1. TAX RATE SUMMARY

A. Total Amount to be Raised	\$4,982,435.31
B. Total Estimated Receipts and Other Revenue Sources	2,564,647.34
C. Tax Levy	2,417,787.97
D. Distribution of Classified Tax Rates and Levies	

CLASS	LEVY PERCENTAGE	IC ABOVE TIMES EACH PERCENT IN COL.	VALUATION BY CLASS	TAX RATES	LEVY BY CLASS
Residential	62.0633	1,500,559.00	149,309.222	10.05	1,500,559.00
Open Space	.8457	20,447.23	2,034.600	10.05	20,447.23
Commercial	34.0914	824,257.77	82,015.720	10.05	824,257.77
Industrial	.4576	11,063.80	1,100,900	10.05	11,063.80
SUBTOTAL			234,460.442		2,356,327.80
Personal	2.5420	61,460.17	6,115.475	10.05	61,460.17
TOTAL	100%		\$240,575,917		\$2,417,787.97

COMPUTATION OF SCHOOL AND GENERAL TAX RATES

CLASS	TOTAL TAX RATE	PERCENTAGE OF LEVY	SCHOOL TAX RATE	GENERAL TAX RATE
Residential	10.05	69.5	6.70	3.35
Open Space	10.05	69.5	6.70	3.35
Commercial	10.05	69.5	6.70	3.35
Industrial	10.05	69.5	6.70	3.35
Personal	10.05	69.5	6.70	3.35

AGRICULTURAL-HORTICULTURAL LAND CHAPTER 61-A

The current lien values are as follows:

1980	\$ 3,404.88
1981	3,435.40
1982	3,508.50
1983	3,696.03
1984	32,401.76
1985	34,029.61
1986	46,095.48
1987	80,883.96
<u>1988</u>	<u>125,604.90</u>
TOTAL	\$333,060.52

REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY & WATER DEPARTMENTS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The following projects were undertaken and completed by the Highway and Water Departments in 1987.

Town meeting approval of money for resurfacing road was used in the following areas to improve our Town roads. Route 47 North from the intersection of Rocky Hill Road to Huntington Road was capped, Bay Road from East Hadley Road to South Maple Street was shimmed. Also Bay Road from South Maple Street to the Amherst line was capped, and a small section of South Middle Street was shimmed. I would like to thank the people of Hadley for approving this article.

Using Chapter 90 funding, North Maple Street from Rocky Hill Road to Russell Street was resurfaced. Extensive preparation work was done by the Highway Department personnel including shaving high shoulders, raising catch basins, manholes, and water gates.

The General Highway Account was used in many ways to improve town roads, and drainage. A long standing water problem on Comins Road was corrected by building a leaching catch basin and repairing another. A dangerous drainage problem at the intersection of Breckenridge Road and Rocky Hill Road was corrected. 250 feet of 12 inch pipe was installed and a catch basin was built to take the road water. This has been a safety hazard because of ice build-up in the winter, at this intersection. Also, a drainage problem on North Lane and West Streets was corrected by lowering the road in a certain section. The General Highway Account was also used for maintenance which included painting yellow and white lines, mowing grass alongside roads, street sweeping, cold patching

potholes, grading dirt roads, installing snow fences, shaving high shoulders in certain areas where water was sitting in the roadway, plowing and sanding roads and sidewalks, and the mixing of salt and sand. A section of Honeypot Road was rip-rapped with concrete that was delivered free to the Town from various bridge jobs on State and owned Highways. This will help stabilize the banks, and prevent further damage from high water eroding the riverbank and road in this location.

The Forestry and Dutch Elm Accounts were used for the cutting of dead trees, and also the trimming of other brush along the West Street Dike. Thirty-one dead trees were removed, and new ones planted in their place. Also the Bureau of Shade Tree Management trimmed trees on West Street Common, at no charge to the Town. Western Massachusetts Electric Company also removed seven dead trees that were close to the powerlines, at no charge to the Town. Various dead branches that were near the highways and sidewalks were also removed, either by the Highway Department, or private contractors.

The Ditch and Dike Account was used for the cleaning of debris, cutting of brush in various locations, and the repair of the ditch behind Maple Avenue. The Dike along West Street was inspected by the Army Corps of Engineers. A 36-inch pipe was also replaced on South Maple Street by a private contractor, and the Highway Department personnel.

The Bridge Account was used to inspect and paint various bridges and guardrails. A small bridge grant is still pending State approval for the replacement of a bridge with a box culvert on Moody Bridge Road. With State D.P.W. funding, we hope to replace this bridge in 1988.

The Road Machinery Account was used for the repairing of Highway and Water Department equipment. An article approved purchase of a new Dump Truck, and Four Wheel Drive Backhoe for use by the Highway Department. We hope to have both pieces of equipment by the Spring of 1988. This new equipment should increase the productivity of the Highway and Water Departments.

The Water Department undertook and completed the following projects. An article that was approved at the Town Meeting for fire hydrants was used. Using Water and Highway Department personnel, ten fire hydrants, along with valves, and six main line valves were installed, at a great savings to the Town. The money that was saved from this article was used to purchase seven more hydrants for Stockbridge Road reconstruction. Money also from this article was used for the repairing of water breaks, and general maintenance, including repacking of four main line valves. All

water lines were flushed, and all hydrants were checked for freeze-ups. House services and water mains were located, and marked for reconstruction of Stockbridge Road. A total of twenty-nine new house services were tapped in 1987 by the Water Department. An article approving the painting of tanks on Mt. Warner Road will be undertaken in the early Spring of 1988. A total of 288,063.300 gallons of water was pumped this year for use by the Town. General maintenance of pumps and equipment was also done by the Water Department.

In closing, I wish to thank the people of Hadley for approving various articles that were presented at the Town Meetings, and to thank the five Highway Department employees for their dedication and hard work.

Respectfully submitted,
Michael J. Klimoski
Highway and Water Superintendent

HADLEY HOUSING AUTHORITY

The Hadley Housing Authority was created for the purpose of providing housing for the elderly. Its powers, duties, etc. are defined in the provisions of Chapter 121B of the General Laws, as amended, which is known as the Housing and Urban Renewal Law. The Authority's office is located at Golden Court, Hadley and regular meetings are held the first Monday of each month and special meetings are held as needed. As of December 31, 1987, the Authority's administrative organization was as follows:

Members

NAME	TITLE	TERM EXPIRES
Joel Searle 245 Bay Road Hadley	Chairman	1992
Stanley Witkos 288 Russell Street Hadley	Vice-Chairman	1990
Louis Klimoski 59 River Drive Hadley	Treasurer	1991
Edward Wanczyk 74 West Street Hadley	Assistant Treasurer	1988

Martha Little
145 Rocky Hill Road
Hadley

State Appointee

1989

Officer

NAME
Paul R. Petit

TITLE
Executive Director

State Aided Housing Program

The Authority currently operates one state-aided housing program, 667-1 project consisting of 40 units of housing for the elderly located at Golden Court Apartments.

Status of Modernization Program

Under the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws a contract for \$157,000.00 was negotiated by the Hadley Housing Authority with the Executive Office of Communities and Development (EOCD). These funds were used to complete various projects at Golden Court Apartments which included expansion of the Community Hall, enclosing outdoor stairwells, installing underground storm drainage, painting of all outdoor trimming and the replacement of all kitchen and bathroom floor tiles. This project was completed on October 23, 1987.

On December 11, 1987 the Hadley Housing Authority was notified by EOCD of the award of an additional sum of \$67,310.00 for modernization work to include the addition of insulated glass for all kitchen windows, the addition of electrical outlets in kitchens and bathrooms and the renovation of all kitchen cabinets and counter tops.

Status of Project 705-1 in Development

Having located a site which is owned by the Hadley Housing Authority for this project, EOCD assured the funds from a previous grant for the Authority of \$1,020,000.00 for the construction of 12 family housing units.

REPORT OF THE HADLEY SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of the Town of Hadley:

In April of 1987, three new members joined the Hadley School Committee. Mrs. Corrine Brennan-Dore won the unexpired two-year term and Mrs. Christine Sweklo and Mr. Richard Swaluk secured three-year terms. One of the first major tasks facing the newly seated Committee was to secure adequate funding for our school budget. A

direct appeal was made to the town meeting voters for an additional \$30,000 over the recommended figure of the Finance Committee; and we thank the voters for supporting our request.

Soon after the start of the academic year, the Committee welcomed its first student Advisory Committee Chairperson, Kristi Shabacker, who represents the student body as a non-voting member of the School Committee.

Administratively two changes took place since our last annual report. Mrs. Anne Finck has been appointed Administrator of Special Needs after having serviced in that capacity as 'Acting'; and in mid-November, Mrs. Jillayne Flanders was hired as the Elementary Principal, replacing Mr. Charles J. Hangs. During the many months it took to hire a new principal, Mrs. Anne Finck and Mrs. Leona Jekanowski assumed the duties of the elementary schools. We also acknowledge the Superintendent's role in providing guidance and stability during this transition. We extend to them our deep appreciation for a job well done. We also thank the members of the Principal's Search Committee for their dedication through several searches and for assisting Superintendent Sullivan with the important task of screening and interviewing the candidates for presentation to the School Committee.

Hadley has its first preschool for 3 and 4 year olds, housed in the basement of Goodwin Memorial Library. This program was made possible by the hard work and determination of a phenomenal group of parents who made up the Early Childhood Advisory Council. A state grant was awarded to Hadley to start this program and while future funding is never certain, the continued need for early childhood education is undisputed and should continue. We are grateful to all of the present volunteers, school administrators, the facilitator and faculty who worked so zealously to secure this grant and to the Trustees of Goodwin Memorial Library for allowing this program to have a home.

The School Department received a new passenger bus, extensive emergency roof repairs were made at Russell School, Hopkins had two bathrooms renovated, tile replaced and corridors painted, while Hooker and Russell Schools had electrical upgrading. Cable TV was installed in all three schools free of charge and the Home Ec Room at Hopkins received a new washer, dryer and electric stove. The Committee will continue to address roof repairs and maintenance for all of our buildings.

The Hadley clubs and organizations continue to enrich our students and our programs. The Parent Teacher Organization successfully completed their drive to purchase playground equipment at both Hooker and Russell Schools; volunteer help and money

was used to spruce up the elementary library; and the PTO continues to keep the lines of communication open with their publication of *CHALKTALK*. They are always ready to provide assistance to and recognition for our teachers and students. This organization has become an integral part of our school community.

The Hadley Mothers' Club has been most generous to our schools. Earlier this year, \$500 was donated to our preschool. In February, the sum of \$4,810 was granted to our schools for the purchase of new equipment, enrichment materials and incentive rewards which will benefit all levels of learning. The students, staff and School Committee are most appreciative. The Booster Club works faithfully to enhance our athletic program; recently repairing replacing and installing new wall mats in the Hopkins Gym. The Hadley Young Men's Club annually donate the use of their playing fields for our young athletes and never fail to support our Sports Banquet along with many special requests that come before them. The Lions Club sponsored a speaking contest at Hopkins this year and they have for many years provided each of our sixth grade students with a Webster's Dictionary. Newly established this year by Hadley Resident Helen Cullen, is a "Student Help Fund" which will be made available to any student in need of financial assistance for field trips, competition, etc. School Improvement Councils, at both the elementary and secondary levels, provide invaluable input in addressing school needs and in making recommendations for expending Hadley's share of grant money under Chapter 188. We thank each and every one of you who serve in this capacity and to all the clubs and organizations for their continued support.

The Trustees of Hopkins Academy made substantial contributions this year. One thousand dollars was donated to the PTO playground campaign, funds were made available to continue the Russian/China course of studies at Hopkins Academy; and in March, the Trustees granted \$6,990 to purchase an IBM XT Computer for Hopkins. This new equipment will enable our staff to do in-house grading, scheduling, and perform many other functions which had to be done by an outside service. Most importantly, our students will have immediate access to up-to-date information right at their fingertips. The continual support of the Trustees has our unfailing gratitude and admiration.

It is impossible to cover everything in an annual report. While the School Committee is continually occupied with finances and budgets, policy making, contract negotiations, personnel, maintenance, buses and future planning, just to name a few, the members

must never lose sight of their most important responsibility—and that is—our students. Currently one of the smallest school systems in the Commonwealth, we must all take extreme pride in the accomplishments of our young people. Our students are admirable competitors. They do not allow small numbers to hinder their performances, whether they are in the classroom, on the playing fields, the mats, in choral or orchestral performances, in the Art Room or Shop, garnering prestigious awards, honors and scholarships, these young people are giving their all and the least we can do as a community is continue to support their efforts and encourage their growth. Your School Committee, administrators, teachers, support staff, parents, grandparents, clubs, organizations and friends are all major shareholders in the future of our youth.

Speaking of support, the School Committee would like to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of our Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Richard K. Sullivan; the determined leadership of our Administrators; and the day-to-day devotion of our teaching staff in educating our future leaders. To the support staff, the members of the town boards, both elected and appointed, we thank you for going the extra mile and for making education a top priority.

As this goes to press, Hopkins Academy is undergoing a reevaluation for accreditation by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. The evaluators will be at the high school in mid-March assessing our facilities, course offerings, philosophy, goals and objectives, plus a multitude of other considerations. The high school staff has prepared long and hard for this once every ten year event, and we thank them for their diligent preparation and attention to detail.

As I leave the Committee after twelve years, I want you all to know that this has been an extraordinary part of my life. There is no greater honor than to be entrusted with decisions affecting our children. I urge you to continue to support our school system—the rewards last forever.

Respectfully submitted,
Carol G. Trane, Chairman
Joyce West, Vice Chairman
Corrine Brennan-Dore
Christine Sweklo
Richard Swaluk

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Citizens of Hadley and the Hadley School Committee:

I, herewith, submit my third Annual Report as Superintendent of Schools.

More and more, we read about communities experiencing increased housing starts, development proposals and elementary school populations rising. The Town of Hadley has seen some of these conditions in a moderate way, but will experience greater growth in our elementary schools over the next several years.

During 1987, our elementary enrollment remained the same as 1986, but we have experienced several transfer students as the school year progressed. Space availability and educational appropriateness of our elementary schools are of vital concerns to the School Committee and Administration. Our new Early Childhood Program, which has an enrollment of 60 students, is housed in the basement of the Goodwin Memorial Library. Although the program is functioning extremely well, and we are most indebted to the Library Trustees for their marvelous cooperation, this location is not the ideal educational environment for the program. Next September, 1988, could see a Kindergarten program with a student population of over 50, with the potential eligible students reaching over 60. Lack of adequate space to house sound education programs is of paramount concern. The School Department spent months discussing the issue of increased enrollments and communicated with the Board of Selectmen on this program. As a result, the Selectmen will establish, in early 1988, an initial Long-Range Study Committee to look at our population trends and school facilities.

During 1987, the Administration and staff at Hopkins Academy were preparing for the evaluation by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges which takes place in March, 1988. One of their first priorities was to develop a philosophy for the high school. The philosophy is the cornerstone of all other aspects of the evaluation process. Following the faculty approval, the School Committee approved the philosophy in April as follows:

Philosophy of Hopkins Academy

"To help young people become responsible adults, the Hopkins Academy faculty, administration and staff work together to foster the individual development of students and to assist them in the realistic evaluation of their interests, aptitudes and achievements. We work to equip students with the decision-making and evaluation skills needed to deal with the changes occurring in today's world. We have made a commitment to educate students for a pluralistic society and to encourage

respect for individual and group differences.

Through formal testing and informal teacher assessment, we identify the individual differences, abilities and capacities of students. Methods, materials and programs are adjusted to assure competence in basic skills. The small size of the school and close student-teacher relationships that often span the six years of junior and senior high school create an ideal opportunity for doing so. A relatively low turnover in the teaching staff and frequent interaction with students allow teachers to remain sensitive to student needs. As a result, students and teachers have healthy human relationships which reflect an understanding of the role that each plays in the educational process.

Hopkins Academy serves as a center of the Hadley community. The school provides an opportunity for the entire community to take pride in the achievements and accomplishments of Hadley's youth. The community, in turn, invests in the future of these young people by supporting the activities of the school and the students, by making resources available and by incorporating the school into the town's sense of identity."

Rarely, if ever, does a school system find itself having to fill all middle management positions in one year. Such, however, was the case in Hadley in 1987. Mrs. Janet Selevaka assumed the principalship of Hopkins Academy in January, Mrs. Anne Finck was appointed permanent SPED Administrator after serving on a temporary basis and, in November, Mrs. Jillayne Flanders took over the principalship of the Hooker and Russell Elementary Schools. We are fortunate to have three fine educators who look forward to a creative and exciting tenure in Hadley.

Last year, I acknowledged the Hopkins Academy Principals' Screening Committee and it would be remiss of me not to extend my gratitude to those who served many long hours in screening applicants for the other administrative positions. They were: Kathy Boyden, Kathy Hurley, Leona Jekanowski, Janet Selavka, Emily Silvestro, John Silvestro, Brian Sheehy, Elaine Tudry and Elsie Waskiewicz. I am also indebted to Mrs. Finck and Mrs. Jekanowski, who served as Acting Principal of the elementary schools during the summer and fall, respectively.

The October 1, 1987 school enrollment is as follows:

HOOKER	RUSSELL	HOPKINS
K - 39	5 - 38	7 - 33
1 - 33	6 - 33	8 - 42
2 - 39		9 - 34
3 - 33		10 - 31
4 - 38		11 - 29
		12 - 34
182	71	203
	Total — 456	

Below is a five year comparison of the Hadley Public School Enrollments:

OCTOBER 1

1982 - 600
1983 - 586
1984 - 548
1985 - 510
1986 - 475

In addition to the above, 23 students were enrolled at Smith Vocational School.

The FY '88 School Budget (July '87-June '88) was approved at the Annual Town Meeting and reflected a 7.52% increase over the previous year. In addition, Articles for replacement of our 1979 School Bus and a beginning on roof repairs were approved. A new 1988 - 65 passenger bus is operating and some roof repairs at the Russell Elementary School were completed.

In submission, by the Superintendent, of the FY '89 School Department Budget shows a 7.42% rise. It calls for an additional part-time Kindergarten teacher, allowance for new negotiated agreements with Administrators and Secretaries and provisions for Support Personnel. The School Committee will consider the budget in the early months of 1988 and will meet with the Finance Committee before Town Meeting.

A very special event took place in May. After more than a year in planning and fund-raising, the new playground equipment at Hooker and Russell became a reality. There are so many individuals, organizations and benefactors in this undertaking that it is impossible to thank everyone individually. However, two people must share a good deal of the credit for the success of this program, Marion Kristek, P.T.O. President and Jane Wagenbach Booth, P.T.O. Vice-President.

Each year, more and more individuals, organizations, businesses and clubs get involved in our school programs for our students. In many cases, it is voluntary work such as fixing up the

new location of our elementary library room, new safety padding in the Hopkins Gym, chaperoning field trips, dances and serving on a variety of committees. In other cases, contributions and gifts are given in the form of scholarships, equipment and prizes. To the Administrative Advisory Committees, Arts Council, Booster Club, Early Childhood Committee, Hopkins Academy Trustees, Lions Club, Mothers' Club, P.T.O. and the Young Mens' Club, a sincere thank you for your continued support and generosity.

In closing, I wish to acknowledge the support and cooperation I have received from the School Committee, administrators, teaching and support staff, students, parents, town officials and municipal departments.

Respectfully submitted,
Richard K. Sullivan
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF HOPKINS ACADEMY

To Mr. Richard Sullivan, Superintendent of Schools, The Hadley School Committee, and the Citizens of Hadley:

The following constitutes my first annual report as Principal of Hopkins Academy. The enrollment figures as of October 1, 1987, were as follows:

GRADE	BOYS	GIRLS	TOTAL
12	15	19	34
11	16	13	29
10	17	14	31
9	10	24	34
8	22	20	42
7	16	17	33
TOTALS	96	107	203

Trustee Proposals

The Hopkins Academy Trustees continued their support of our school by awarding eleven scholarships and many prizes at graduation, paying half the cost of diplomas, purchasing a microfiche roll reader for the library, making funds available for other special awards, and purchasing new lighting controls for the stage in the cafeteria, for the use of school and community groups. Eight thousand dollars worth of equipment for the science department was approved in 1986 and expended through 1987. The generosity of the Trustees is very much appreciated.

Special Gifts

The Hadley Mothers' Club donated a VCR and television set to

be used by teachers on the second floor of Hopkins Academy for the showing of educational programs. This has greatly enriched our programs, and we are grateful to the Mothers' Club.

Mr. Norman Brown, president of the Lions Club and the Athletic Boosters, installed the new wall mats which were purchased by the Mothers' Club, improving the safety factor in the gymnasium. The Class of 1987 purchased a Lexan cover to protect the scoreboard, which was a gift of the Lions and the Mothers' Club. The Hadley Lottery Arts Council paid for forty junior high students and chaperones to attend a performance by the Mandala Folk Dancers. We appreciate all the gifts that these groups have made to us.

The Parent Teachers Organization continues to support Hopkins and its activities. Their monthly publication, "*Chalk Talk*," is a fine tool for publicizing our programs and letting the community know what we are doing and planning to do. In June, teachers were treated to breakfast and flowers for Teacher Recognition Day. On the first day of school in September, the PTO prepared lunch to welcome all members of the Hadley school staff. Parents have also chaperoned field trips and responded to all calls for assistance. We are indeed fortunate to have so many supportive groups in Hadley.

School Improvement Council

For the first time, in 1986-87 the School Improvement Act called for the formation of School Improvement Councils in secondary schools. Hopkins Academy's Council chose to spend its 1986-87 allotment of ten dollars per pupil to purchase; a computer and programs to support science labs, one new microscope for biology, and several blank vide tapes for use by all departments. In the fall of 1987, the SIC decided to fund assemblies and field trips for cultural enrichment. One assembly and a trip to the Pioneer Valley Ballet's production of the Nutcracker have already been accomplished. Members of the Council are: Janet Selavka, Chairman; Kathryn Seward, teacher; Denise Madenski, teacher; Catherine Perkins, teacher; Martha Boisvert, parent; Sandra Nowak, parent; Judy Coffey, parent and secretary; Carol Zgrodnick, non-parent; John Earle, student; and Sheila Tedford, student.

Programs

A new study skills program was instituted for all seventh grade students this year. This is a quarter course, taught by Mrs. Welch, and includes library skills, taught by Mrs. Barkman, librarian. In the future, this program will be expanded through grade twelve.

Hopkins also opened its doors to the Hampshire Educational Collaborative, of which we are a member, and we now house a program for multiple-handicapped youngsters who are sixteen or

older. Several of our students assist in the program, and some of their students take part in classes when it is appropriate.

Two groups of eighth grade students from Mrs. Masalski's American Government class entered the Massachusetts History Day competition, where they won first and second place in the Western Mass Regional contest. In the state contest, one group won and went on to the national contest in Maryland.

A new math team has been formed, and students compete each year against math students from other schools in our region. Mrs. Earle and Mrs. Phillips are advisors of this group.

Several word processors were donated to the Hadley School System by Holyoke Community College, through the auspices of Mr. Helen Kapinos, in the summer of 1987. Fifteen staff members took several hours of instruction in their use, and they are presently being utilized in business courses by Mrs. Laprade, in English courses for writing workshop by Mrs. Plette, and in the Hopkins Adacemy offices by the staff and administration.

Three cable television hookups were installed in September. These came just in time for our Constitution Day assembly on September 16th, when we were able to join the President and other officials in Washington D.C. for the anniversary celebration of the signing of the Constitution. Other assemblies included the U.S. Army Rock Band, a pep rally, a 4-H Teen Conference presentation, a movie on the perils of drinking and driving just before the Junior Prom, and an assembly for campaign speeches prior to class officer selections.

Hopkins Academy's "As School's Match Wits" team, whose advisors are Mrs. Masalski and Mrs. Chapman, won two matches in the spring, and only lost the third by a small margin. In the fall, a new team presented themselves very well but lost their first match. Other activities included the First Annual Basketball Festival, the senior play in April, winter and spring concerts by the junior and senior high school bands and choruses, sixth grade parent and student orientation programs, a junior high field day in June, "Back to School Night" in September, College Information Night in October, International Day in December, and the first Annual Alumni Reception also in December. In October, Hopkins Academy's guidance department hosted a College Fair at which over one hundred colleges presented their programs to high school students throughout the area.

All members of the faculty have been busy preparing a self-evaluation in preparation for the New England Association of Schools and Colleges' evaluation of Hopkins Academy which will take place in March of 1988. In-service days have been spent in

preparing materials and presenting reports, which had to be approved by vote of the faculty.

Basic skills tests, mandated by the state of Massachusetts, were taken in October by all students in grade nine.

In athletics, the girls basketball team compiled a fine record of sixteen wins and four losses qualifying them for the state tournament. They lost to Frontier Regional High School in the Western Massachusetts finals. Members of the team were Jill Pipczynski, Lynn Trane, Bridget Byron, Jean Jekanowski, Carla Peabody, Brenda Dorrell, Mary Carney, Robin Sienkiewicz, Terri Ciago, Carrie Byron, and Kate Kelley. Hopkins Academy had a Western Massachusetts champion in wrestling, Scott Glazier. In the fall, the boys soccer team qualified for the state tournament.

Kevin Quinlan won a prize for his pastel drawing in the Holyoke Community College High School Art Exhibit. In music, five students were selected for the Western Massachusetts District Chorus - Deborah Cook, Mary Carney, Diane Kieras, Jennifer Ostrowski, and Pamela Putnam - and Mark Barstow was selected for this and All State Chorus.

Maintenance

During the summer, new tile floors were installed in the nurses offices and Room 202. All hallways, both upstairs and downstairs, were painted, as well as the lower half of several upstairs classrooms, and new baseboards were installed in all hallways. During Christmas break, four student bathrooms received new ceilings and lighting.

In Appreciation

I wish to thank Mr. Richard Sullivan, Superintendent, for guiding me in my first year as principal. Also, I thank the faculty and staff for their support, the students for their cooperation, and the groups and individuals in the community who continue to donate time and funds to Hopkins Academy.

Respectfully submitted,

Janet S. Selavka

Principal, Hopkins Academy

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

To the Superintendent, School Committee and the Citizens of Hadley:

The following is the financial report of the school lunch program
1/7/87-1/1/88.

January 1, 1987

Opening Balance	5,973.50
Receipts from Sales	52,552.88
Government Received	<u>15,990.55</u>
	\$74,516.93
Payments	
Food	31,838.22
Labor	36,775.01
Other	<u>3,389.68</u>
	\$72,002.91
January 1, 1988 Balance	\$ 2,514.02

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Soldega
Manager

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Citizens of Hadley and the Board of Selectmen:

The Hadley Police Department has had another active year. Increases in the number of calls rose to over 6,500, about 500 more than 1986. Increases were also noted in the areas of motor vehicle theft, alarms, disturbances and vandalism. Motor vehicle accidents deceased from 711 in 1986 to 637 in 1987. There was a notable increase in the number of motor vehicle citations issued by Hadley Police Officers. They issued 1879 citations which was an increase of about 400 over the previous year. These citations resulted in over \$16,000 more revenue generated by the Police Department than the previous year. The total revenue generated amounted to over \$70,000. Revenue includes monies received from motor vehicles citations, court fines, firearms licenses and insurance reports.

Ongoing programs within the Department have been successful. We also have conducted programs in the areas of Alcohol Awareness for liquor requirements, Crime Prevention for local businesses and we have been in the schools talking with the students about safety, driving and alcohol abuse.

This year we have been able to add extra patrols on weekends and for traffic enforcement. I feel that the lower accident rate and the increased revenue are a direct result of the increased patrols and traffic enforcement. Officers in the Department have qualified with firearms three times during the year and have been certified in CPR and First Responder. They also have attended a course in civil liability.

I wish to thank the members of the Hadley Police Department and the Citizens of Hadley for their support during 1987. The Hadley

Police Department will continue to grow and serve the Town of Hadley professionally and effectively.

Respectfully submitted,
Richard S. Grader
Chief of Police

THE OFFICE OF THE FIRE CHIEF

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the year of 1987.

The Hadley Fire Department answered a total of 122 calls during the year of 1987. The following is a breakdown of alarms answered:

Chimney	3
Bomb Threat	1
Brush	33
Mutual Aid	1
Washdown	6
Fire Investigation	1
Body Search	2
False Alarms	12
Oil Burner	2
Smoke Investigation	4
Ruptured Sprinkler	1
Vehicle	23
Electrical	5
Motor Vehicle Accident	5
Structure	9
Wood Stove	1
Miscellaneous	13

In June of 1987, the new Pierce fire truck was delivered to the Fire Department. It was set up and put into service in late July and has been performing very well. The 1967 Ford fire truck that was replaced by the new engine was sold to the Fire Department in Rocky Point, NC for \$9,500.00

This year at the Town Meeting we will be asking for new doors for the north station, pagers and money to upgrade the 1961 Seagrave, which has not been done for fifteen years.

Firefighter training classes were held on fifteen occasions during the past year, covering various firefighting subjects and operation of the new Pierce pumper. In addition to this, eleven members also attended a Hazardous Materials class in Amherst, eight members attended two days of classes at Meadowood, New

Hampshire Fire School and received training in breathing apparatus and structural firefighting, and ten members attended a training session at Westover Air Base which covered airplane rescue and flammable liquid firefighting tactics.

In closing I would like to thank all the men that responded to fires during the year of 1987.

Respectfully submitted,
Bernard J. Martula
Fire Chief

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Citizens of Hadley:

REFUSE DISPOSAL: With the closing of many of the private landfills and the rising cost of dumping refuse, the Town of Hadley has joined the Hampshire County Solid Waste District which consists of 17 towns. The town is in the process of studying the formation of a solid waste district with Amherst, Belchertown, Pelham and Shutesbury on the east side of the Connecticut River. To be eligible for funds from the Solid Waste Act of 1987 two or more towns must form a Regional District. Also the town shall have to adopt mandatory regulations for recycling.

SEWER CONNECTINS: The Town Meeting in 1978 voted to adopt the following BY-LAW: Upon the installation of a new sewer line or replacement of an old sewer line in any public or private way in the Town of Hadley, Massachusetts the owner or occupant of any building abutting upon said public or private way must connect the same therewith by a sufficient drain no later than one year after the completion of the construction of said sewer line in front of the building. If said owner or occupant fails to comply with said BY-LAW, a penalty of not more than \$200.00 shall be assessed for said violation. Upon inquiry by the Town Clerk to the Attorney General's office if the BY-LAW was approved resulted in a reply that the BY-LAW has become effective by reason of the failure of the Attorney General to act (GL-c-40, S-32), therefore any owner or occupant of a dwelling not connected should take immediate action to connect to the common sewer to avoid any action by this board.

LICENSES & PERMITS ISSUED: Food Service-64, Milk-43, Sunday-52, Bakery-5, Catering-2, Common Victuallers-2, Milk & Cream Vehicle-2, Motel-5. Removal of Offal & Garbage-5, Disposal Works Installers-15, Disposal Works Construction on new homes-25.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES: Reported to State Department of Public Health Strep Infection-28, Chicken Pox-46, Conjunctivitis-1,

and 5 Animal Bites reported to Animal Inspector for action.

APPOINTMENTS: Public Health Nurse-Patricia Osip, Plumbing Inspector-Peter Salvatore, Alternate Plumbing Inspector-John Moriarty and Animal Inspector-Marilyn Koehler.

Respectfully submitted,
Alfred Szarkowski, Chairman
Louis P. Klimoski
Edward J. Walkczak

REPORT OF THE SEWER DEPARTMENT

During 1987 two major projects were completed by the Sewer Department. Pressure and gravity lines were installed on the Hawley Road - Mt. Warner Project and were tested along with the Hawley Road pump station. House connections will begin in the Spring and final blacktopping, loaming and seeding will be completed.

The New Wastewater Treatment Plant is on line and meets State requirements. As construction of the new plant was proceeding some major equipment in the old plant wore out. Through the cooperation of the Huntley Associates engineers and the Charwill Construction Company new equipment was purchased saving the Town thousands of dollars on repairs.

The Sewer Commissioners would like to thank them for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
Richard J. Waskiewicz
John Pliska
Richard Wilga

REPORT OF THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report for 1987. The sum of \$3,520.00 was received for permit applications. A total of 133 applications were filed for the following work:

83 Residential
46 Commercial
4 Municipal

An average of two inspections are required per application.

Respectfully submitted,
Alexander J. Bielunis
Electrical Inspector

REPORT OF THE PLUMBING AND GAS INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Hadley:

I hereby submit my annual report for 1987.

A sum totalling \$2,931.00 was received by the Town Treasury for the following permits issued this past year:

Plumbing Permits	(65)	\$2,544.00
Gas Permits	(24)	387.00

Plumbing Permits were issued to the following:

New Homes	34
Remodelings	14
Businesses	17

At least two inspections are required for each permit issued.

Respectfully submitted,

Peter P. Salvatore,
Plumbing & Gas Inspector

REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

A total of 195 permits were issued in 1987. The sum of \$60,284.20 was received for permit and inspection fees.

Permits issued for the year 1987

25 Dwellings, New	\$1,891,000.00
17 Dwelling Additions	354,848.00
11 Dwelling Renovations	120,500.00
11 Garages, New	104,572.00
1 Garage Addition	590.00
3 Sun Rooms	58,350.00
7 Decks	43,800.00
17 Sheds	126,900.00
1 Shed Addition	2,500.00
5 Businesses, New	7,688,000.00
21 Business Renovations	649,000.00
5 Business Additions	77,250.00
1 Storage Addition	5,000.00
7 Wood Stoves	5,470.00
1 Chimney	900.00
1 Fireplace	5,000.00
1 Canopy	12,000.00
1 Community Building Addition	32,000.00
1 Fire Escape	300.00
1 Gazebo	3,000.00

1 Horse Barn	100,000.00
1 Tent	2,500.00
1 Dairy Barn	40,000.00
1 Greenhouse	300.00
1 Retaining Wall	300.00
1 Temporary Model Home	50,000.00
5 Below Ground Pools	52,000.00
5 Above Ground Pools	18,780.00
14 Ground Signs	30,940.00
17 Wall Signs	11,985.00
2 Playground Equipment	12,413.00
8 Demolitions	
	\$11,500,383.00

Respectfully submitted,

Frank Zolot, Jr.

Building Inspector

REPORT OF THE CIVIL DEFENSE DEPARTMENT

To the Citizens of Hadley:

The year 1987 was a hectic one. In the spring we had two high water situations, which came one right after the other. If it were not for the flood control dams built years ago, this would have been one of the worst floods on record.

I was very impressed by the way the people on Aqua Vita Road looked out for each other. I would also like to thank Mitch Drozda for his timely, and accurate reports on the rise and fall of the river. I am also thankful for the assistance rendered by our Police and Fire Departments, thanks for a job well done!

This year, I am presenting an article on the town warrant to see whether the Town should purchase an emergency generator, which will provide power to the Fire-Police Communication Center during times when power is lost. In the past year there have been times when the Communication Center was without power and its operations were severely hampered. Your support of this article will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward J. Dudkiewicz

Civil Defense Director

VETERANS' SERVICES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my report as Veterans' Agent for the year 1987.

This year, our Veterans' Department spent considerably less money than in 1986. As of September 1986, our Veterans and their dependents were no longer in need of financial assistance.

The Veterans' agent also helps veterans in locating lost or misplaced discharges and other military records.

I would like to thank the taxpayers and town officials who have assisted our veterans in time of need.

Respectfully submitted,
Alexander C. Mokrzecki
Veterans' Agent

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH

To the Citizens of Hadley and the Board of Public Health:

The Public Health Nurse's 1987 report begins again this year with a special note of appreciation to the following citizens for their contributions to the Hadley Loan Closet: Richard Bingham, the Kenneth Niedzweic Family, the Alcie Ross Family, the Edward Matuszko Family and several anonymous donors. The Loan Closet provides equipment to help people during their recuperation at home. Walkers, wheelchairs and commodes are the most frequently used items. Twenty-three families took advantage of this special town service this year. Hadley can be proud of this service offered to its citizens for a small refundable deposit. It allows us to supply aides necessary to foster independence.

Home care visits comprised the majority of time spent, at this 20-hour a week position. Eight hundred and thirty-seven visits were made in 1987 for maintenance, preventive and health-promoting services. Physician referrals increased in 1987, however the majority of health care calls comes from families.

Other than referral calls, 196 phone calls were made to me. These calls were from citizens looking for guidance, counseling or assistance in health maintenance for themselves or a loved one.

As the demand for home health care increases, so too do the number and variety of agencies providing service. The Department of Health and the local senior citizens council act as a resource agency for health and social agencies. A Directory of Human Service Providers for Hampshire County developed by Jones Library, Inc. is available to the public as another resource tool.

Hadley provides the opportunity for many citizens to participate in their own self-help approach to wellness through clinics sponsored by the COA and the Public Health Nurse. The following is a list of clinics held in 1987:

- Blood Pressure Clinic: COA sponsored, 1st Friday of each month
- Diabetes Screening Clinic: COA sponsored, 2nd Wednesday of each month
- Flu Clinic: October 1987, 167 Participants
- TB Clinic: November 1987, Hopkins Academy Staff

Consumers today have increased health awareness and concerns so if there are other clinics you would like organized, please contact me. I am presently attending meetings of the American Cancer Society which organized public education programs. I plan to hold some cancer screening clinics and educational programs in 1988.

Medicine is an ever expanding science so health care professionals, like myself must continue to add to their present body of knowledge and skills. Attending educational conferences is one means to attain this goal. AIDS is a frightening illness as I participated in several informative programs in order to address many citizens' concerns. In July, I attended a two-day conference on Adult Physical Assessment in Washington D.C. and this year I hope to attend one for infants and children.

In November, a conference on Bereavement was held at the Colonial Hilton. Dr. Phyllis R. Silverman, the main speaker, is well known for her work in this area. The loss of a loved one is a very traumatic experience and this conference gave me some insight into understanding my feelings and to assist others to understand their feelings. Throughout the year I have also attended in-services held at Cooley Dickinson Hospital covering a wide range of topics.

My 1988 goal for the Community of Hadley will continue to focus on wellness through health promotion programs and activities.

Next, I wish to thank the following people for their help this past year: Jeannette Vandaloski, Patricia McElligott RN, Alice Misa, Violet Peltz, Lauri Osip, Chris Orlen RN, the Hadley Police Department and especially the Hadley Highway Department.

Finally, to the Board of Health Members, I want to thank them for their continuous support.

Respectfully submitted,
Patricia L. Osip, RN

REPORT OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION 1987

To the Board of Selectmen and the Citizens of the Town of Hadley:

During 1987, the workload of the Hadley Conservation Commission increased continually. It has become more difficult for the members of the commission, who are appointed by the Board of Selectmen and serve without compensation, to carry out the huge task of administering the many conservation programs. Employment of a paid, professional Conservation Director and clerical help should be considered in the upcoming fiscal year.

WETLANDS PROTECTION. The Commission issued formal decisions on 18 separate applications under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (M.G.L. Chapter 131, Section 40). This was an increase of 8 over 1986. In addition, many informal presentations were made. The Commission investigated 8 violations of the Wetlands Protection Act.

The Conservation Commission's responsibilities, under the State Wetlands Protection Act, consist of: determining wetlands boundaries; processing permits for work in or near wetlands and floodplains; enforcing the State Wetlands Protection Act; and setting standards for the performance of work in wetlands.

AGRICULTURAL PRESERVATION RESTRICTION (APR) PROGRAM. On March 17, 1987, the Conservation Commission was notified by the Program Manager of the APR Program, Massachusetts Department of Food Agriculture, "that funding for the APR Program was very nearly exhausted. Nearly all of the \$45 million appropriated for the APR had been spent or committed for APR purchases on 219 farms totaling nearly 20,000 acres across the State. Additionally, over 100 applications were currently being processed." Because the APR Program was without funds, NO APPLICATIONS were filed by Hadley farmers in 1987.

During the early part of December 1987, the state legislature's Joint Committee on Natural Resources and Agriculture signed a \$500 million open space bonding plan that contained *\$35 million for the state's Agricultural Preservation Restriction Program*. The APR Program that had been without funds for more than a year was again funded. Since 1981, Conservation Commission member Michael Pewatka has assisted in filing 28 applications under the APR Program. It is anticipated that interest in the program among Hadley farmers will be renewed in 1988!

Other Environmental Concerns:

AQUIFER PROTECTION DISTRICT. State grant money was set aside for the town to conserve land in the Mount Warner aquifer

recharge area. A list of land parcels for negotiation and possible acquisition under Hadley's Aquifer Land Acquisition Grant was prepared by Almer Huntley, Jr. Associates, Inc. and Christopher L. Curtis, Principal Planner, PVPC. Conservation Commission member Pewatka was recommended to be the Town's Land Acquisition Coordinator for the acquisition phase of the grant. Pewatka was willing to do the extra, free work on the project for the Town and has completed alerting property owners.

LAND BANK FUND. The commission supported the land bank concept and it was approved by Hadley voters but defeated on the state level. Under the process, communities would have been authorized to impose a tax of up to 2 percent on the transfer of property and use the proceeds to purchase open space or conservation land or to help provide housing.

MISCELLANEOUS. The commission supported rezoning of Route 47 to limited business and adoption of Flood Insurance by the Town.

APPOINTMENTS AND RESIGNATIONS. In November, William E. Tudry, a full-time, successful farmer, was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Eileen R. Simonson who moved to Shutesbury. The commission is fortunate to have a person with an agricultural background. He is a native of the Town and familiar with the Valley's needs for preserving agriculture.

CONCLUSION. The Hadley Conservation Commission meets the third Tuesday of each month and all meetings are open to the public.

The Conservation Committee appreciates the help and support it receives from the many Town Officials and Departments; the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Quality Engineering; the Department of Environmental Management; and the Amherst Conservation Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

Gary L. Pelissier, Chairman

Michael A. Pewatka, Vice Chairman

William Baker

Peter S. Cook

Alexandra, D. Dawson, Secretary

Jeffrey Mish

William E. Tudry

REPORT OF THE COUNCIL ON AGING

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen, Selectwoman and Citizens:

During the year 1987, the Hadley Council on Aging offered sixty and over in this community, services that intended to meet the needs of this population and to improve the quality of life for these persons by providing means by which they could remain active and independent in the community. The services included transportation, information and referral, health clinics, educational programs, volunteer opportunities, leisure activities and other human services. The C.O.A.'s purpose is to assess the needs of the 60 and over population and to network with and develop elder programs that address and advocate for these needs as well as to increase positive awareness of this population.

Programs and Activities

Transportation - Providing free van transportation is one of the most frequently used services that the C.O.A. offers. In the beginning of transportation, it was solely used for the Meal Site only, then as years passed on they added Shopping, Doctors and Hair appointments. The C.O.A. provided 5,300 units of transportation service to 100 different people by transporting them to various appointments. All persons 60 and older are invited to arrange to use these services. We thank Agnes Scanlon, our Highland Valley Elder Services Senior Aide and Edward Walczak, our Town employee, for providing committed services as our Van drivers.

Meals and Nutrition

Congregate Meals - Highland Valley Elder Services, Inc. provide a daily congregate lunch available to people 60 and older. The nutrition site is located at the Golden Court Community Hall. Home delivery may also be available for those who for certain reasons cannot come to the Nutrition Site. This year H.V.E.S. served 4,500 plus meals to over 35 senior citizens. Every senior citizen is entitled to participate in this program. We thank Violet Peltz, HVES nutrition site director and volunteers Agnes Scanlon, Doris Molitoris and Flor Wilson for their community contribution in helping serve the meals.

Brown Bag

This project offers a bag of groceries to each senior household once a month by the Western Mass. Food Bank Food for the Elders Program in cooperation with H.V.E.S. - 175 households participated in the program. Participation in the program is subject to income eligibility guidelines. Many thanks to the volunteers (we cannot give all of the names but you know who you are) give of their time on distribution day on every Third Thursday of each month.

Health Programs

Blood Pressure Clinic - are held the First Friday of each month (except for July & August). More than 60 people each month participate. We hope more will follow suit. We thank Twega Fill who alternates every other month with Barbara Goodwin to record the Blood Pressure and Pulse. Not to be outdone, our appreciation to the Town Nurse Pat Osip plus Nellie Frankevicz, Sophie Filkowski and Jackie Ahlemeyer who have done the Clinic.

Sugar Glucose Clinic - this is done the second Wednesday of the month. We still do not get enough senior citizens to use this service. All senior citizens should come to be tested. Diabetes is perhaps the most serious disease, it can come on at any time of your lives. Special thanks to Pat Osip.

Hearing Test Clinic - I'm sorry to say there was none due to the *very few* that participated previously. These hearing tests are FREE and we hope that in 1988 we can have one and more senior citizens using this convenience.

Community Education Service

Energy - The Hampshire County Action Commission Program provided training to the Program Coordinator to do intake for those interested in applying for Fuel Assistance. We had 22 senior citizens who applied. The Fuel Assistance Program also provides the office with energy conservation information to offer residents.

Income Tax Service - There were 24 senior citizens with assistance by John Aldrich - a volunteer from the American Association of Retired Persons. We hope we have more senior citizens usng this service for 1988. Our thanks to Mr. Aldrich.

Hadley C.O.A. Newsletter - A monthly newsletter is the major source of disseminating programs and education information to Hadley residents 60 and older. The C.O.A. mails 665 newsletters (some having more than one name on each label, reaching each Senior household. The C.O.A. received grant money through the Department of Elder Affairs in Boston who continue to offer this service. Also the Senior Publishing, Inc. for printing the Newsletter for us.

Flu Clinic - The clinic given through the auspices of the Hadley Board of Health who donated the serum for the Flu shots and handled very nicely by Pat Osip, Jackie Alhemeyer, Nellie Frankevicz and Sophie Filkowski. (Over 150 shots were given).

Leisure Services

Arts & Crafts - Classes were held every afternoon (except July & August). Thirty-two participated. Funds for the instructor are given by H.V.E.S. Community Grant awards. We thank Mary Gurecki for her undertaking and the others who volunteered their services.

Bingo - The Bingo games are held on Tuesday (except July & August). Our many thanks to Rosario Beaudoin (who is a lifesaver), he has taken over the Bingo leaving me to do the office work.

New Developments

Project Discovery - The Oral History has been finished and a video cassette was shown by Greg Franches (who did an excellent job). The people who saw the tape were impressed.

Oil Painting - was started in September with instructor Sharon Harper. The program seems to be getting on with a good start and perhaps we might have a Picasso or Rembrandt.

Funding

The C.O.A. operates its program on monies appropriated through the Town, Department of Elder Affairs and the Highland Valley Elder Services. We thank these resources for their support.

Community Networks

The C.O.A. participates in the Western Massachusetts Association of Council on Aging, the National Council of Senior Councils and a community focal point for Highland Valley Elder Services, Inc. The Program Coordinator also Highland Valley Elder Provider and staff meetings. Mr. Edward Matuszko in 1987 and the Program Coordinator provide a network with H.V.E.S. so as to remain informed of community elder services.

Staff

Alice S. Misa, Programmer - Agnes Scanlon, Senior Aide driver and Edward Walczak as the town driver.

Vehicles

We have added another Van for those who are disabled from Pioneer Valley Transit Authority. We will be able to give more services to the senior citizens.

Volunteers

There were a numerous amount of volunteers who participated in the above Programs. The Hats on for Warmth sponsored by Northeast Utility and under the direction of R.S.V.P. Some of our senior citizens supplied their own yarn for this program. Again Bertha Baranowski knitted 200 hats (sure beat me). Thanks to the others who gave of their time to do good.

In conclusion, the members of Hadley C.O.A. wish to thank the Board of Selectmen and Selectwoman, and all the Town Departments for their cooperation for making the C.O.A. a success. Thanks also goes to Paul Petit of the Hadley Housing Authority for the use of the Golden Court Community Hall for Arts & Crafts, Bingo, Painting, Health Clinic and educational forums.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward Matuszko, Chairman

Eugene C. Kennedy, Vice Chairman
Helen J. Vanasse, Secretary
Bertha Baranowski
John Kowal
Fred Mastendino
Stuart Russell
Joseph Fill (starting in October)
Robert Renyhart (starting in October)

REPORT OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Board received a total of 19 petitions for the year: 4 petitions were withdrawn; 8 petitions were for variances, 7 were granted, 1 was denied; 7 petitions were received for Special Permits were for the conversion of one-family homes to two-family. The number of petitions for 1987 has decreased by 8.

As in past years the Board has received full cooperation and assistance by several units of Town boards; particularly the Building Inspector and Hadley Conservation Commission.

Respectfully submitted,
Richard Fydenkevez, Chairman
John Mish, Clerk
Victor Cendrowski, 1st Member
Jeanne Stolarski, Secretary

REPORT OF THE PARK & RECREATION COMMISSION 1987

The Hadley Park Commission had a successful year with help from the George Edwards Fund helping to pay fuel costs to keep the Old Gym open. (The interest money).

Our summer camp was held from July 6 - August 14. Laurel Moore of Hadley returned as camp director this year for the Pre-K through 4th grade held at the Old Hopkins gym. Campers participated in various activities such as arts and crafts, field trips, and sports as well as having special in-camp events and the annual camp picnic at a local park.

Once again, a bus took campers to the YMCA in Northampton twice a week for swimming lessons. Local Hopkins Academy students as well as a couple of students from outside the community were our camp counselors.

Monica Boucher was back again for her fifth year as Camp

Director for the 3 and 4 year old camp held at the Hooker School Kindergarten Room. This six week program was once again filled to capacity. Diane Stratton returned this year as assistant director for the pre-schoolers.

In September, our soccer program was held. The Hopkins Academy varsity girls and boys soccer players were the coaches.

Jack and Karen Woodbury of Hadley and Maine were the coaches in charge. This husband and wife team did a great job. For the second year we had children in grades K, 1, and 2 join the 3rd-6th graders.

In November, our men's evening basketball program started and continued twice a week until April. Ron Blajda of Hadley was in charge of this program that usually has 20-25 men in attendance.

Once again this year we, along with the Hampshire Regional YMCA, offered an aerobics class two nights a week, taught by Karen Laliberte of the YMCA. This is a year-round class that is becoming popular with area women.

The Youth Basketball Program began on Saturday, January 9th and continued for 6 weeks. This program was for girls and boys in grades 3-6. They practiced the fundamentals of basketball and played each other's teams. We are fortunate to be able to use the new Hopkins Gymnasium for this program. Once again Hopkins Academy for this program. Once again Hopkins Academy girls and boys varsity basketball team members helped coach these young people. Jack and Karen Woodbury were in charge of this program.

In February, children in grades K-6 enjoyed a 2 hour gymnastics class on Saturdays for 6 weeks. They were able to use several pieces of gymnastics equipment such as the balance beam and vault as well as perform floor activities on the mats.

Our annual Easter festivities were held in the Old Gym in April. Approximately 100 girls and boys enjoyed games and goodies. The Easter Bunny came and awarded prizes and candy.

During May and June and through the month of September our Department is also in charge of maintaining the Lassie and Little League ball fields. Ignace Waskiewicz is in charge of the mowing and liming as well as general maintenance of these fields and as always did a fine job for us.

The tennis court at Zatyrka field continues to be a popular place for avid tennis players. We have had some vandalism in the past and hope this will be a better year for our equipment at the court.

In closing, we hope to be able to continue to keep the Old Gym open and to offer as many recreational opportunities to the citizens

of Hadley as possible and always welcome ideas for new programs.

Respectfully submitted,

Joanne Waskiewicz

Marianne T. Wanczyk

Joseph Ospip

REPORT OF THE HISTORICAL ARTS COUNCIL

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen and the Citizens of Hadley:

The Hadley Arts Council met twice in 1987 to vote on applications for Massachusetts Arts Lottery Grants and Performing Arts Student Series Grants. On April 14th, we voted to fund 4 out of 5 applications submitted for a total of \$1,060. The following applications were approved: — Goodwin Memorial Library, for a lecture and workshop at Hopkins Academy called "Reading Aloud," \$250. — Porter-Phelps Huntington Foundation, for "Wednesday Folk Traditions" performances, \$400., for an Historic Structures Report, \$150. — Principal Janet Selavka, Hopkins Academy, for a group of students to attend a performance of "the Mandala Folk Dance Ensemble, \$250. On October 5th, the council voted to fund 7 out of 9 applications submitted for a total of \$1,322. The following applications were approved: — Joanne DeLong, \$250., for a children play performance at Hooker Academy, — Porter-Phelps-Huntington Foundation, \$300., for an Historic Structures Report, and \$50. for a fourth graders tour of the Museum. — Pat and Tex LaMountain, \$223., for a local song writer's concert. — Susan Anzalotti, \$212.50., to take a group of students to hear the Springfield Symphony Orchestra and \$36., to take a group of students to a performance of "Charlotte's Web" at the University of Massachusetts. — Principal Janet Selevka, \$250., to take a group of students to a performance of "The Nutcracker" by the Pioneer Valley Ballet. We also voted to extend the project dates of the Valley Playwrights Theatre's approved application.

Respectfully submitted,

Carl Caivano

Nancy Campbell

Steven Long

Marsha Wodjewoda

Arnold Freidmann

Marcia Davies

Carol Kostek

REPORT OF THE HADLEY HISTORICAL COMMISSION

To the Citizens of Hadley:

The Hadley Historical Commission spent the year participating in the Site Plan Approval process with the Planning Board. Under the provisions of the Planning Board's Site Plan Approval zoning bylaw, the Commission participated in the review of any commercial building over 3,000 square feet; five applications were so reviewed by the Commission. Information was also provided to the Goodwin Memorial Library concerning exterior improvements to the library on Middle Street. The Commission held 12 monthly meetings and 8 special meetings.

The Commission continued its work on documenting the town's historic sites. The Pioneer Valley Planning Commission offered the services of its newest staff member Gregory Farmer, who had in the past served as a private consultant to the Town of Hadley. A contract with the Pioneer Valley Planning Commission for \$6,000 was signed and Mr. Farmer began work on nominating the area of Hockanum and the North Hadley Village to the National Register of Historic Places. This winter the Massachusetts State Historical Commission approved the nomination for the center of town that was submitted last year and sent it to Washington D.C. for final acceptance. Included in the final document was a complete listing of every property owner within the district and an inventory of each building, including all structures not attached to a house. The district's boundaries are the Connecticut River on the west, Bay Road on the south, Spruce Hill Road on the east and Rocky Hill Road on the north.

The Local Historic District Study Committee that was appointed by the Selectmen prepared a survey for the residents of West Street, asking them to comment on the feasibility of establishing the Town Common area as a local historic district. The results were evenly divided and the Study Committee decided not to recommend a warrant article at this time. They did suggest that the Historical Commission continued with its educational and informational programs on this specific topic.

The Walking Tour of West Street was published for the Historical Commission in the spring by the *Daily Hampshire Gazette* and copies are available in the Town Clerk's Office.

Mabel West, chairman of the Historical Commission and life-long supporter of preservation efforts in Hadley, passed away this year. Her enthusiasm and dedication are greatly missed.

Respectfully submitted,
Dorothy Russell, Acting Chairman

Harry Jekanowski
Alexander Kulas
Monica Pearson
Susan Sheridan
Richard Wilga

REPORT OF THE ANIMAL INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Hadley:

I hereby submit my annual report as Animal Inspector of Hadley in the year 1987.

During the year, I have quarantined six dogs and one kitten, for biting people. I would like to remind people, that if they are bitten, to get in touch with me immediately. I must make out a report on each animal bite case.

On December 26, 1978 thorough December 31, 1987, I conducted my annual farm animal inspections. I found all the animals to be healthy and properly taken care of. My official count is as follows:

Dairy Cows	989
Dairy Heifers	522
Dairy Calves	443
Dairy Bulls	18
Dairy Steers	3
Beef Cows	33
Beef Heifers	34
Beef Calves	19
Beef Bulls	9
Beef Steers	26
Oxen	0
Swine	1,099
Horses	266
Ponies	25
Goats	5
Sheep	604
Chickens	498
Ducks	48
Geese	34
Turkey	1
Pigeons	112
Doves	31
Rabbits	32

Respectfully submitted,
Marilyn Koehler
Animal Inspector

REPORT OF THE AGRICULTURAL INCENTIVE AREA COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Hadley:

The Agricultural Incentive Area Committee has been busy this year identifying areas of town where agriculture is of prime concern, and what should be done to protect our rapidly diminishing farmland.

So far we have tentatively identified two areas of town that should be protected from development as much as possible. The northern area would be located north of Stockbridge St. with the eastern boundary being Route 116 and the Amherst town line, running to the Sunderland town line, then west with the Connecticut River being the western boundary. The southern area would be located south of the old B & M railroad and paralleling Route 9 with Middle St. being the western boundary. It would run southerly to the Connecticut River and follow the course of the river to the South Hadley town line, then run easterly along the base of the Holyoke Range to the Amherst town line.

We would like to thank everyone who has helped us this past year, and we are looking forward to helping the town cope with its growth problems in the future.

Respectfully submitted,
Edwin M. Matuszko
Philip S. Mokrzecki
Peter Cook
Kenneth Parsons
Gorden Smith

REPORT OF THE CABLE TV ADVISORY COMMITTEE - 1987

To The Citizens of Hadley:

In 1987 Cable TV finally became a reality in the Town of Hadley as the first group of residents began receiving service in August. This event culminated over two years of activity involving negotiations, licensing, and actual construction of the Cable TV system.

The Cable TV Advisory Committee (CAC), acting on behalf of the Board of Selectmen, has worked throughout 1987 with the Cable TV owner/operator, AMRAC-Clear View in bringing this service to Hadley. Construction began back in September 1986, and as per the agreement on the license, significant service was required to be in place within one year of the start of construction.

Some of the highlights of this past year are summarized here:

1. All of the aerial cable in the town has been installed. This represents over 40 miles along our streets, with hook-ups to individual homes as requested.
2. As of December 1987, there were 901 subscribers to Cable TV out of approximately 1450 homes in Hadley. In 1988, Cable TV service will be available to approximately 98% of the total homes in Hadley as expansion continues.
3. Cable TV service to Golden Court, housing for the elderly, was underway in January 1988. Additionally, free Cable TV service was made available to 1987 to numerous municipal facilities in the Town of Hadley (schools, Communications Center, etc.).
4. A much more attractive Cable TV programming package was offered vs. that proposed in 1986. A total of 40 different channels are available through three levels of service. The cost for the basic service package is currently \$13.95, for 27 viewing channels.
5. Underground cable construction and installations are still in progress and will continue in 1988. Admittedly the underground work has progressed slower than anticipated and with some difficulties.

For 1988 the Cable TV Advisory Committee plans to work with AMRAC-Clear View on improving service; specifically in the areas of TV reception and customer service. Additionally, installation efforts will focus on completing underground cable construction and home hookups.

In summary, 1987 saw the beginning of Cable TV service for the Town of Hadley, and in 1988 the Cable TV Advisory Committee expects to complete the objectives and intent of this licensing arrangement.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles M. Wojewoda, Chairman

Gerry L. DeLisle

Michael Grabiec

WATER STUDY COMMITTEE REPORT

The undersigned committee to study the implementation of a filtration system at the Callahan Well site concurs in recommending a Gilcil System.

This system will remove the high concentration of manganese found in the water of these wells.

Unless properly filtered of manganese this water is not compatible with drinking water standards or mixing with our Mt. Warner water source.

With the current and projected growth of Hadley it is imperative to make the Callahan Wells suitable for use. The Mt. Warner system continues to be severely worked to the capacity of installed equipment during peak periods of water use.

A second water source is conducive to good planning and utilization of a water system we already own.

An update of costs of this 1984 report is recommended. Then at a Special Town Meeting later in the year the project should again be placed before the town for approval.

The Gilcil System. is one of those options presented in the report and in the judgement of this study committee - the most practical and economical for the town.

This recommendation will also provide a back-up and continuity of water service if the Mt. Warner wells or recharge area becomes polluted in any manner.

Of the three options in the report by Almer Huntley for the Gilcil option is the least costly.

A fourth option is sinking another well and pump system at the Mt. Warner site but the minimum cost of this fourth option approaches \$350,000.

The Gilcil option will possibly exceed \$200,000.

This committee advises seeking Grant monies that do not have strings attached that cause Hadley to lose control of our most vital asset - water.

Respectfully submitted,

Philip S. Mokrzecki, Chairman

John S. Mieczkowski

Joseph L. Fitzgibbon

Gregory M. Mish

REPORT OF THE NORTH HADLEY VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens:

Two years ago, The Hadley Selectmen proposed closing the Village Hall as a cost saving measure. The proposal was defeated and the North Hadley Village Hall Committee was appointed to explore the rehabilitation and reuse of the building. The Hall, an impressive two-story Italianate structure dominates the village of North Hadley, three miles north of Hadley center. The building was built as a village hall and district school in 1864, with a classroom addition in 1871. The North Hadley School closed in 1954, but the Village Hall has continued to function as a branch library, a fire station, and a meeting place for a wide range of community groups. The Village Hall and the adjacent Second Congregational Church are the only public buildings in North Hadley and serve as a focus on community life and the village identity. In recent years, the spread of suburban residential development in nearby Amherst and Sunderland has threatened the integrity of the village of North Hadley. The restoration and reuse of the Village Hall is perceived as a key element in preserving the visual character and community identity of this traditional New England Village.

The past year has been an active one . . . A sophisticated smoke and fire detection system was installed, numerous repairs and changes were made including a new stair railing, and a contract was awarded for electrical work to include all new emergency lighting. This work will complete the changes suggested by the Building Inspector and should result in the issuance of a new Certificate of Occupancy. The building was tested for lead paint. Although the exterior white paint does contain lead, only small isolated interior areas were identified as containing lead. This situation must be corrected prior to again using the structure for young children.

We recently applied for a \$14,875.00 Rural Design Assistance Program grant given by The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Council on The Arts and Humanities. The funds were requested to hire an architect and engineer to develop plans for the rehabilitation and adaptive reuse of the hall. Years of deferred maintenance have taken a toll on the building. While still structurally sound, the foundation, roof, and walls are in need of repair. Energy efficiency, handicapped access, interior space, and original detailing all need to be addressed. Also, this study is a prerequisite for the next cycle of grants which will deal with the actual restoration work.

The committee wishes to extend a special thank you to two of its members, Mr. Francis Duda and Mr. James Russell, who have worked diligently as the Hall Custodians.

We also hope that the residents of Hadley will support our efforts and plan their activities to further utilize the facilities of North

Hadley Village Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

Alexander F. Kulas, Chairman
Katherine Pipczynski, Secretary

Francis Duda

Richard Holden

John Kokoski

Merriam Pratt

James Russell

Frank Zabawa

NORTH HADLEY BRANCH LIBRARY REPORT JANUARY 8, 1988

I herewith submit my yearly report for 1987 as Librarian of the North Hadley Branch of the Goodwin Memorial Library. The usual library services have continued, and hours are now 3:00 to 5:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays, staffed on alternate weeks by Miriam Pratt and Justina Kielec.

There have been 68 new books purchased during the year, both fiction and nonfiction for all ages. Another new book with a Hadley emphasis was given by the Hadley Historical Commission. We have also received 99 used books including 80 paperbacks and 19 hardcovers. Donors of these were Marie Ansaldo, David Hayes, Joelle Devine, Alvira Mokrzecky and Velma Kentfield.

The Western Mass. Regional Bookmobile arrives every six weeks with a good collection from which to choose, to circulate from our library until their next visit. This service makes a fine addition to our own supply of books for children, teens and adults. They also bring large print books, records and cassettes. Interlibrary Loan services of the Regional Library are often used for special requests and can usually be obtained by I.L.L. from other libraries, if not available from the Regional collection. The North Hadley library subscribes to nine magazines which are a popular service for borrowers. Our circulation for the year totalled 1943, slightly less than last year.

A giant two-day book sale of older books took place in October in front of and inside the first floor of the North Hadley Hall building where the library is located, conducted by the librarians and several volunteers and members of the Friends of the North Hadley Library. We are indebted to them for their help, and also to Donald Pipczynski of Pip's Store who donated doughnuts and coffee. Despite bad weather one of the days, it was a successful sale.

This is the 87th year that the North Hadley Library has occupied the building.

Respectfully submitted,
Miriam R. Pratt
Librarian, North Hadley Branch

GOODWIN MEMORIAL LIBRARY REPORT

To the Citizens of Hadley:

We are delighted to report on the happenings and new additions to our Library in 1987. Trustee Mrs. Margaret Holbrook resigned when she moved in February 1987. We wish her well and thank her for all the time she put into the Library. The townspeople elected an incumbent, Mrs. Mary Kelley for a second term and two new enthusiastic readrs, Mrs. Michaeline Martin and Mrs. Betsy Cook. Congratulations to all three of you.

In July our parking lot was enlarged and repaved to accommodate our patrons. Our thanks to Highway Superintendent Mr. Mike Klimoski for striping our ten parking spaces.

In August the hardwood floors were sanded and polyurethaned. They now look great and will be protected from wear for years to come. Volunteers moved all the standing bookcases and books temporarily to the basement for the week long process. Thanks to all of you volunteers.

The Board of Trustees voted unanimously to house the Hadley Pre-School in the basement. The pre-school is filled and is running smoothly. We would like to thank Mrs. Diane Murray, Head Teacher, Mrs. Anne Finck, SPED Director, and Mr. Richard K. Sullivan, Superintendent of Schools, for their cooperation and time spent getting the pre-school started.

On November 17, 1987 the Friends of the Library, Hadley PTO and a grant from the Arts Lottery Council co-sponsored Mr. Jim Trelease, a dynamic speaker who addressed the public on the importance of reading aloud to children of all ages. Goodwin Memorial Library displayed books he recommended which are available at our library. Thanks to Mrs. Marion Kristek for all the hours she volunteered to see this program happen, and Mrs. Susan Burckhardt for the donation from the Friends of the Library.

During the past year over 800 new books have been purchased ranging from the adult current best sellers, to the Reading Rainbow series to some beautiful children's selections for the very young. The public is encouraged to become active readers and make any suggestions and recommendations for new titles or ideas, as well as

take out a library card. We have a beautiful selection of books waiting to be read!

Goodwin Memorial Library Hours:

Monday thru Friday - 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Tuesday Evenings - 6 p.m.-8 p.m.

North Hadley Library Hours:

Tuesdays and Thursdays - 3 p.m.-5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Leslie K. Mish, Chairman

Mary Kelley, Vice Chairman

Jeanne Stolarksi, Secretary

Esther Latham, Publicity

Michaeline Martin

Betsy Cook

GOODWIN MEMORIAL LIBRARY REPORT

We had another busy year at the library during 1987. Our hours remained the same 10:00 to 4:00 p.m. Monday - Friday, plus Tuesday evening 6:00-8:00 p.m. A total of 13,502 books, magazines, records, tapes and videos were circulated through 1987. The favorite children's book this year was, James and the Giant Peach by Roald Dahl. Favorite adult fictions were: The Prince of Tides by Pat Conroy, Heiress by Janet Dailey, The Dinner Party by Howard Fast, Windmills of the Gods by Sidney Sheldon. Favorite adult non-fiction was Midwife by Penny Armstrong.

We were able to add over 500 new books to our collection, which keeps us very competitive with the larger libraries surrounding us. The Western Massachusetts Regional Library helps to better our offering by providing books, records and videos every six weeks and movies weekly.

The highlight of week is still story hour every Friday at 10:00. Joining in the fun are 20 pre-schoolers. This year we were able to purchase our own projector to show our weekly movie. We also have a story and craft. Favorite movie - Angus Lost. Favorite craft - planting pumpkins. Favorite book - Curious George goes Sledding by H. A. Rey.

We observed National Library Week in April this year with two programs. For the adults, with spring in the air, we were pleased to have Carol Duke. Carol spoke and showed slides on Our Garden as a work of Art. The children enjoyed Kite Week with a poster contest, kite work and shop and kite flying.

I was very proud of the children who took an active part in our

Summer Reading Club this year. We had 42 children sign up, reading a total of 386 books. Of the 386 books read, 320 were read by 6 children.

The top reader was:

Jeremy Thayer	reading 123 books
Steaphan Mish	76 books
Katie Mish	59 books
Jessica Thayer	32 books
Heather Wanczyk	15 books
Peter Wanczyk	15 books

When they look back on last summer I hope it will hold many happy memories spent with special books.

I wish to thank the volunteers, both adult and children who contribute time and energy to make our library a place we are all proud of. I am especially grateful to Mrs. Celia Daniels, Lucille Bauver and Maureen West. Thanks to the library Friends Group headed by Sue Burkhardt, always willing to help when needed.

As we begin 1988, the Trustees and the library staff are planning another exciting year and setting long-range goals. We welcome suggestions regarding library services and are looking forward to another year of growth and improved services.

Respectfully submitted,

Marilyn Mish
Acting Librarian

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